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Reagan's Health: Surgery's Doubt Will Persist Delay Is

New York Times Service

WASHINGTON — For months and years to come President Ronald Reagan's physicians will be confronting the most important uncertainty in their patient's case: Has any cancer eluded their search? Does any still lurk in the president's body, seeding new growth elsewhere?

Those closest to the case, the experts at the National Cancer In-

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stitute and the Armed Forces Instithe of Pathology who are part of the team caring for Mr. Reagan at the Bethesda Naval Medical Center, said they would not be able tell cer has spread. The odd

Although Mr. Reagan's doctors spoke with guarded optimism at a news conference Monday about his chances for cure, there were clues in their words that signaled concern that the cancer might have been caught too late to prevent spread elsewhere.

"It appears as if" the cancer was confined to the malignant polyp within the bowel wall, said Dr. Dale W. Oller, head of surgery at the Bethesda center, said.

Dr. Steven Rosenberg, chief of surgery at the National Cancer In-

By Lawrence K. Altman team, said all the tests and visual inspections during the surgery last Saturday showed "no evidence in the president's case that the cancer has spread." He said that Mr. Reagan had a better than 50-percent chance of being cured permanent-

> Dr. Rosenberg, when asked di-rectly, did acknowledge that he could not be sure that Mr. Reagan's cancer had not aiready begin to spread. "There is a possibility that the cancer can return," he said.

Dr. Rosenberg emphasized that he was speaking of the long-term statistical chances, which always appear less favorable than would a

Prognoses depend on the tumor's severity and whether the can-cer has spread. The odds of being cured become less favorable as the cancer invades each new local anatomical area in the inner lining of

Dr. Rosenberg said that the tu-mor removed Saturday from the president's large intestine had spread into the initial layers of the intestinal wall but not the outer layer. He graded it Dukes-B, under a system that bears the name of a British doctor and ranks tumors from A, least severe, to D.

If Mr. Reagan's cancer had been classified Dukes-A, he would have (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1)

Bush Visits Rallying Reagan; Moscow Is Quiet on Ailment

BETHESDA, Maryland — Vice recovery is taking place," Mr. Bush resident George Bush visited said after meeting with Mr. Reagan for 45 minutes at the Bethesda Navednesday for the first time since val Medical Center outside Wash-President George Bush visited President Ronald Reagan on Wednesday for the first time since the president's cancer surgery, as Mr. Reagan's recovery continued

White House officials said Mr.
Reagan had had his "best night"

since Saturday's surgery.

Doctors removed a tube running through his nose to his stomach, and Mr. Reagan joked that he felt as if it were "Christmas in July." In Moscow, a Soviet Foreign

Ministry spokesman declined to comment on whether Mr. Reagan's health could affect U.S. Soviet relations, saying it was unethical to speculate about a leader's ailments. "It really is dramatic the way the

The White House spokesman, Larry Speakes, said Mr. Reagan had signed a supplemental extradi-tion treaty with Britain to expand efforts against terrorism. Asked if more decisions were be-ing med at the stelf level then

ing made at the staff level than usual, Mr. Speakes said, "Perhaps a few more, but not that many."

Mr. Speakes denied, in a response to a reporter's question, that the White House chief of staff, Donald T. Regan, was "running the country" in Mr. Reagan's ab-sence. "The president is," he said.

> These same specialists have said that an even stronger indication for a complete colon exam came in

> > This stool test suggested that Mr. (Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

Defended

White House Says Campaign Was Not Factor

By Boyce Rensberger Washington Part Service

WASHINGTON — The ques-tion of interrupting President Ron-ald Reagan's schedule during the 1984 campaign year to perform a more complete examination of his colon, which is something many doctors outside the White House say should have been done then, never came up for discussion, ac-cording to White House officials.

owing Mr. Reagan's cancer surgery Saturday, there have been suggestions that the White House knew there were medical reasons for a more complete exam but that it was deferred for political rea-

The Observer of London published a story Sunday claiming that Mr. Reagan's doctors knew he needed surgery but put it off for political reasons.

However, numerous sources close to the Reagan campaign and White House insisted Tuesday that this was not so. In fact, there was no way to know that Mr. Reagan would need surgery until he had his

thorough colon exam Friday,
"His health never came up" during 1984, a senior official said. "We assumed he was in the best of shape because of the way he acted." If there had been any hint that

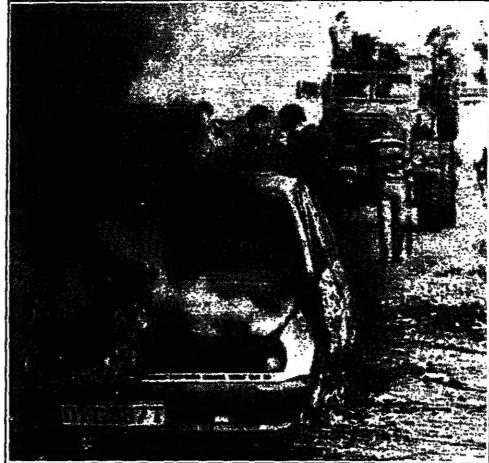
the president ought to have a more complete exam, said another official, Nancy Reagan would have taken her husband "by the ear" to the hospital.
Others close to the White House

said that if a decision had been made to postpone a thorough examination until after the election, it would have made no sense to postpone it eight more months until last

The first indication of possible color disease came in May 1984, when a routine medical examina tion found a small polyp in the president's lower intestine. It was emoved and found to be benign. Cancer specialists not connected

with the Reagan case have said in recent days that the president should have received an immediate Some doctors made that point last year. The 1984 exam involved looking only at the lower third of the

March, when another routine exam turned up a second benign polyp and, more ominously, evidence of blood hidden in the stool.



NEW SOUTH AFRICAN VIOLENCE - Troops standing by in the black township of Soweto as an Alfa Romeo burns, after an outburst of arson and stone-throwing, Residents also tried to set fire to the home of the mayor, Edward Kunene. Elsewhere in the country, three more blacks were killed in anti-apartheid protests. Page 5.

U.S. Concedes Russian Arms Offers **But Says They Maintain Soviet Edge**

By Bernard Gwertzman New York Times Service WASHINGTON - Reagan administration officials have ac-

knowledged that the Soviet Union is offering some ideas in Geneva on reducing strategic arms. But they say the concepts seem vague and appear to be designed to maintain certain Soviet advantages in landbased missiles.

The disclosure of the Soviet proposal came as the second round of the strategic arms talks were ad-journed Tuesday. A third round of the talks, which started in March, will begin Sept. 19.

The White House marked the

occasion with a statement saying that the latest talks had ended just about "where we had expected to given that we are ending only the second round of negotiations of such complexity and importance."

The Soviet Union's statement about the adjournment was more negative. Tass, the official news agency, said in Moscow that the second round had been as unsatis-

The views were echoed in Gene-va by Viktor P. Karpov, the chief

Soviet delegate to the talks, who are at least dangling officially the said he was still waiting for the possibility of moves on strategic Americans to offer something new. weapons when the Geneva talks

The Reagan administration maintained previously that the So-viet side had not made any new proposals on limiting either strategic or medium-range weapons. But Tuesday, the White House said that 'late in this round," the

Russians mentioned "some con-cepts which could involve possible reductions in existing strategic of-fensive nuclear arsenals." Administration officials, explaining the Soviet move, said the Russians suggested last week that one way of handling the issue of

strategic weapons would be to agree on percentage ceilings on dif-ferent classes of weapons. For instance, an official said, it was suggested that each side might consider keeping no more than 50 percent of its nuclear arsenal in the

form of land-based intercontinental ballistic missiles. But the Americans said Tuesday that the Soviet negotiators had declined to go into details on such questions as what weapons would be included in each category and what the ceilings should be. Never-theless, officials said, the Russians

resume in the fall.

Strategic weapons are one of three parts of the talks. The other two parts deal with intermediaterange weapons and American research into space-based weapons, called the Strategic Defense Initia-

It was reported last week that Soviet officials had informally raised the possibility of agreeing to the research provided that there was a ban on deployment of weap-ons in space. The Soviet Union and the United States both asserted,

(Continued on Page 2, Col. 5)

2 Palestinians From West Bank **Meet With Peres**

By Thomas L. Friedman

JERUSALEM - Prime Minister Shimon Peres met Tuesday with rwo West Bank Palestinian leaders to discuss ways of advancing the Middle East peace process, govern-ment sources said Wednesday. The officials said Mr. Peres,

Mayor Elias M. Freij of Bethlehem and the deputy speaker of the Jor-danian senate, Hikmat al-Masri of Nablus, discussed a range of Arab-Israeli topics and the economic situation on the West Bank.

Also discussed was the list of possible candidates that the Palestine Liberation Organization lead-er, Yasser Arafat, has submitted to Jordan's King Hussein and to Washington for inclusion in a Palestinian-Jordanian dialogue with

the United States, reportedly affirmed that on the ba- gotiating table. sis of their recent discussions in
Amman they were certain that the
Mr. Masri nor Mr. Freij is on the

tions for peace. responded that any PLO participation in peace talks would only

make Israeli participation impossi-Describing the talks with the Israeli prime minister, Mr. Masri said on Israeli radio that Mr. Peres wants negotiations and we want

negotiations. But there are different views about it." Mr. Freij declared that the session dealt with the economy and "prospects of beginning a political dialogue that would find an end to

this tragic situation, that would bring peace to all people in the country. The three-hour meeting at the prime minister's Jerusalem residence was shrouded in secrety. There was no advance announce

ment and word of the session only leaked out Wednesday morning. Mr. Masri left early in morning for Amman, ostensibly to take part in a meeting of the Jordanian Senate, but possibly also to convey the essence of his discussion with Mr. Peres to Jordanian and Palestinian

stance of the meeting was kept so secret, since Mr. Peres has met with both Mr. Masri and Mr. Freij before, and there is nothing unusual about such contacts. It may have been purely to give the meeting an air of drama.

In fact, judging from discussions with several senior officials, the meeting between Mr. Peres and the West Bank leaders, both of whom are political conservatives, was more important for its symbolism than anything actually discussed, particularly since Mr. Freij and Mr. Masri are not empowered to nego-

tiate for anyone. By meeting with Mr. Freij and Mr. Masri, both noted Palestinian "moderates" not directly associated with the PLO, Mr. Peres was stinian-Jordanian dialogue with also signaling Washington and Amman what kind of Palestinians Both of the West Bank leaders he would like to see across the ne-

PLO was now willing to cooperate tist of possible Palestinian negotia-with Jordan and enter into negotia-tors submitted by Mr. Arafat.

ons for peace.

Mr. Peres is understood to have by Mr. Peres and Foreign Minister yitzhak Shamir, heid an unscheduled meeting Wednesday to discuss the latest developments in the Middle East peace process. Israel Army Radio reported that the cabinet "was presented" with a "tentative list of names" that the PLO has suggested take part in any Jordani-an-Palestinian negotiating delega-

Israeli officials said that no polit ical figures living in the West Bank or Gaza Strip were on the list and that virtually all of the names mentioned, most of them little-known figures, were connected in one way or another with the PLO.

Blast Hits Nicosia Home

The Associated Press NICOSIA - A bomb exploded early Wednesday at the home of Malath Abdo, a representative of the Palestine Liberation Organization, blowing out the windows and slightly injuring Mr. Abdo's father-

in-law, the police said. They said nobody immediately claimed responsibility for the ex-



Two Palestinian leaders, Mayor Elias M. Freij of Bethlehem, right, and Hikmat al-Masri, center, after talks with Prime Minister Shimon Peres. Shmuel Goren, left, is the Israeli official responsible for the West Bank. In the background is Mr. Peres's aide, Uri Savir.

Dollar Plunges in Europe

LONDON — The dollar fell Wednesday on European foreign-exchange markets to some of its lowest levels in a year. Analysts traced the decline to jitters over the U.S. economy and President

The dollar declined in Paris to 8.631 French francs from 8.7575 francs on Tuesday. In Frankfurt it fell to 2.8518 Deutsche marks from 2.88 DM a day earlier, and in Zurich it dropped to 2.33 Swiss francs from 2.3915 francs on Tuesday. In London the pound gained to \$1.412 on Wednesday from \$1.3885 the day before. Details, Page 13.

factory as the first and had been marred by an American "smoke screen of empty words and indefi-

At Women's Meeting, **Schism Over Abortion**

By Elaine Sciolino New York Times Service NAIROBI — The exchange took place in a family planning workshop at the nongovernmental fo-rum of the United Nations Decade for Women conference. An Indian who opposes abortion told the aulience that the way to control pop-

'What if we want sex, honey?" ference who assert that women must control their own body and a small but well-organized group that calls abortion murder and any artificial method of contraception

ing family size is crucial to economic development and sometimes to

take up these programs and want smaller families that they can care

In Africa, the debate over population control is complicated by the fact that many women oppose the use of drugs and are hostile to valnes they see as foisted on them by the West. "We are fighting the is trying to limit the number of our people," said Joyce Nkausu, an of-ficial with the Zambia Family Planning Association.

Several groups that oppose abor-tion and artificial contraception have attended family planning workshops at Forum '85 - an assembly of nongovernmental groups coinciding with the official Decade for Women conference - to counter the argument that the developing world must have access to all varieties of family planning, from sex education to sterilization. They are drawing on the resources of the Roman Catholic Church in Kenya, and some are staying with local religious orders.

Because abortion, which is usu-(Continued on Page 2, Col. 7)

INSIDE The handling of the marines wounded after the 1983 bomb attack in Beirut has been critici-Page 3. A conciliatory statement by the Khmer Rouge on Cambodia has been questioned by Prince Norodom Sihanouk. Page 5.

BUSINESS/FINANCE BenkAmerica had a loss of \$338 million in the second quarter, largely because of increases in loan provisions. Page 13.

The National League beat the American League, 6-1, in major league baseball's 56th All-Star Game Page 19.

South Korea's president has set an exacting agenda in a penod of transition.

Risky Job: Journalism in Philippines

By Steve Lohr New York Times Service

ILOILO, Philippines - Severino Arcones, the star commentator and manager of radio station DYFM, is ready to leave the office on an afternoon reporting foray. He stands up, yanks a A5-caliber pistol out of his desk drawer, stuffs it into his belt and says, "O.K., let's

go hunting for news." For additional firepower, Mr. Arcones has an M-16 rifle. Two seven years. bodyguards are his shadows. Death

daily routine. He has rarely slept at home re-cently for fear of placing his family in danger. He spends the nights on a cot in the station's well-guarded offices or at the homes of friends -rant July 1. a different place every night A change of clothes is on the bookshelf behind his desk.

tion in the Philippines.

"It's a good life, satisfying and exciting," says Mr. Arcones, 32, "But it can be dangerous some-

Things have become increasingly dangerous for Filipino journalists in recent months. Eight have been killed this year, and another is missing and presumed dead. Seven journalists were slain last year, compared with four in the previous

Many of the victims, including threats, he says, are part of the five since the start of last month, have been radio commentators in the provinces. Among them was Eduardo Suede, a close friend and colleague of Mr. Arcones at DYFM, who was shot at a restau-

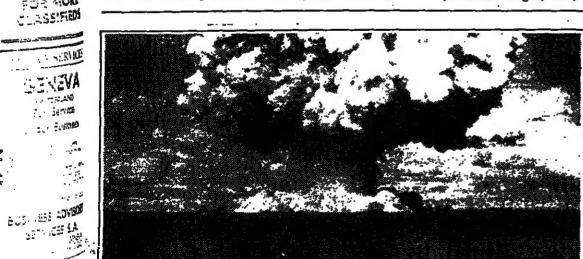
Philippines puts it "way ahead of other countries," according to Mir-Such is the life of a muckraking iam Lacob, an administrator for

journalist at a provincial radio sta- the Committee to Protect Journalists, a popprofit organization based in New York. The group wrote to President Ferdinand E. Marcos last month, appealing to him to protect journalists in the Philippines and to capture and prosecute their killers,

At a time of growing opposition to the Marcos government and an increased willingness by Filipino reporters to report on sensitive subjects, the slavings have brought charges that the government is behind the killings, trying to stifle

"For the military, this is the most expedient way of getting rid of a critical press," said Antonio Nieva, president of the Philippine National Press Club. "The killings climinate a few people and intimidate many others.

Although killing journalists may The death count this year in the not be a government policy, Mr. Nieva said, senior officials are indi-



The now-familiar mushroom cloud blossomed off Bikini after a test in the Pacific Ocean.

Los Alamos: 40 Years of Nuclear Age

By Malcolm W. Browne

New York Times Service T OS ALAMOS, New Mexico Forty years ago this week the flash of a hundred suns seared the New Mexican desert, the sand at Trinity Site fused into jade-green glass and the nuclear age was born.

Within 24 days after the Trinity test on July 16, 1945, two nuclear bombs, small and primitive by today's standards, had destroyed two large Japanese cities, killed 106,000 people and injured at least 100,000. The innocuously named Manhattan Engineer District, an ultra-. secret scientific and industrial community, had unleashed the atomic bomb, forever changing the nature of war and politics.

Forth years have clapsed without nuclear war, and neither the Soviet Union nor the United States has set off an above-ground nuclear test explosion since 1963. To be sure. the menace of nuclear holocaust still induces nightmares, but at Los namos, New Mexico, where nucle-still being perfected, people itemed learned to live with the bomb and to prosper from it.

Founded in an aura of utmost ry were Ernest O. Lawrence, invensecrety and urgency in 1943, Los for of the cyclotron; Niels Bohr, the Alamos was the home or mecca in giant of quantum mechanics and World War II of a large proportion atomic theory; Richard Feynman, of the greatest physicists of the later to become one of the great 20th century. Some had been born American citizens; some were refu-cle physics; Glenn Seaborg, cregees or immigrants from Europe. ator-discoverer of plutonium and There were Christians, Jews and atheists among them, leftists and

conservatives, prima donnas and team workers.
The Los Alamos pantheon included J. Robert Oppenheimer, the charismatic director of the laboratory; Edward Teller, the brilliant Hungarian immigrant who became Oppenheimer's ideological foe and

won renown as the father of the hydrogen bomb; and Enrico Fermi, the legendary refugee from Mussolini's fascism whose many accomplishments included building the first nuclear reactor, at the University of Chicago. There were United States was racing Nazi Ger-Robert Wilson, who years later many to develop the atomic bomb. founded the Fermi National Acoalerator Laboratory; Hans Bethe, the great German-born theorist; and John von Neumann, whose thinking has profoundly influenced as-

tronomy and other sciences.

Also affiliated with the laborato-

other man-made elements; and Leo Szilard, George Kistiakowsky, Victor F. Weisskopf and scores of other leading scientists. In the military secrecy and isolation of Los Alamos, they were de-

prived of creature comforts, and had to change their names and con- survival itself. ceal their identities to prevent word of their work from leaking out. In a pressure-cooker atmosphere they complained, argued, worked long hours and sometimes agonized about the ghastly character of the wenpon they were forging. But they were united in their belief that the After the war, Los Alamos

departed; many have since died. Some, like Dr. Oppenheimer, would probably be horrified to (Continued on Page 7, Col. 1)

changed radically. The superstars

ulation was "to get men to wait, to get their sexual desire under con-trol." An American woman shot back. The incident pointed up the di-chotomy between those at the con-

"abortofacient," or abortion-making.
That dichotomy, in turn, reflects several divisions: between, for example, industrialized nations. to a variety of contraceptive methods, and developing countries, where such means are generally restricted; between well-financed, well-organized anti-abortion organizations in the West and family planning groups in developing countries, which assert that limit-

The fact of the matter is all the developed countries are using contraception in planning their families," said Avabai B. Wadia, president of the International Planned Parenthood Federation. "Why should there be any objection if developing countries voluntarily

SPECIAL REPORT

U.S. Allies Asked to Fight Terrorists

HONOLULU (WP) — Secretary of State George P. Shultz said Wednesday that the United States and its allies must "tight back" against

international terrorists and those who offer them safe haven, and suggested that the anti-terrorist struggle had become an alliance responsibility.

In an address to the East-West Center ending a two-week trip to Southeast Asia and the Pacific, Mr. Shultz also criticized New Zealand in

his strongest language to date for "walking off the job" of alliance duty in February by refusing to accept a port call by a U.S. warship because it did

Speaking of what he called "the international terrorist network," Mr. Shultz declared, "We cannot allow the enemies of our way of life to attack each ally one by one in the hope that we will be divided and thus

Letter Reveals U.S. Plan in Honduras

WASHINGTON (WP) — The U.S. armed forces expect to keep a 1,200-man task force on duty in Honduras "for the next three to five years" and are already working on detailed engineering plans for the year

1990, according to an internal Defense Department document.

A letter from an Air Force civil engineering officer at U.S. Southern Command headquarters in Panama to the Tactical Air Command at Panama to the Panama to the Panama to the Panama to the Panama to t

incapable of coordinated response."

Murder of a Child in Rural Hamlet Obsesses France

By Richard Bernstein New York Times Service

a small, pretty stream flowing amid verdant fields and woods beneath this rural hamlet. Lépanges itself - a main road, three cafés,

a newspaper stand and some orange-tiled houses — was just another village in what Parisians, often with derision, call "la France said, "in that there are journalists who are much ever happens.

But the river and the town are on the pages of every newspaper, as the sites of a drama of crime, revenge and apparent madness.

Nine months ago, at a bend in the Vologue just downstream from Lepanges, 4-year-old Gregory Villemin, his hands and ankies bound with string, was found drowned. The discovery of le petit Grégory, as he

soon came to be known, unleashed a kind of national passion in France. It has been the subject of numerous magazine covers, of daily television broadcasts. full-page newspaper accounts, satires and parodies, and of published reflections by

It is a mystery and a real-life melodrama

famous novelists and retired police detec-

"The Petit Grégory affair has become an obsession," said Philippe Séguin, the mayor LEPANGES, France — Not many of Epinal, the major urban center of the Frenchmen had heard of the Vologne River, region about 200 miles (320 kilometers) east region about 200 miles (320 kilometers) east revenge." of Paris. "It has contaminated everything. You can't go anyplace in France and say you're from this part of the country without being identified with the Gregory affair.

profonde," literally "deep France," where not more or less permanently stationed here now. The affair has all the elements of a great dramatic serial, of a kind of entertains all against the background of a rural region with its own mystique of remoteness and of

> The elements are these: For months before Grégory's death, the extended clan of the Villemin family from Lépanges and surrounding towns was plagued by anonymous letters and telephone calls threatening "revenge" against Jean-Marie Villemin, a local factory supervisor and Gregory's father, for

On Oct. 16, shortly after 5 P.M., Gregory disappeared from in front of his house. Half an hour later, an anonymous caller an-nounced to the boy's uncle, "I have taken the that has transformed the members of a large boy of the chief," meaning Grégory's father, and unfortunate working-class clan into national figures.

boy of the chief," meaning Grégory's father, the factory supervisor. "I have thrown him into the Vologne,"

The next day, the last in the series of was none other than Gregory's mother, anonymous letters arrived in the mail at the Christine Villemin. Villemin home. It said simply, "I have taken

Who killed Gregory? The police and prosecutors have accused one individual and nard Laroche then another of the crime, feeding the sensationalism of the press.

First a cousin of Grégory's father, Bernard Laroche, was identified by handwriting experts as the author of the anonymous letters of which there were four in all. A 15-year-old niece of Mr. Laroche, Muriel, came forward and said she had seen him carry out the crime. Mr. Laroche was indicted and taken. to prison. Briefly, the case seemed solved.

Two days later, a tearful Muriel, appearing on television, recanted her testimony, comes daily to view Gregory's grave, be-suggesting along the way that it had been decked with flowers, adorned with white coaxed out of her by local police who were, marble plaques and his photograph. apparently, too eager to find a culprit. A

More surprises followed. Two new handwriting analyses, from anonymous samples taken from all the members of the Villemin at the grave said. "How can you not be and Laroche clans, indicated that the author interested, after all the talk in the newspaof the anonymous letters, including the one pers and on television? It was impossible to that arrived the day after Grégory's killing, stay away."

In March, as France confronted the notion that a mother might have killed her own child, Gregory's father shot and killed Ber-

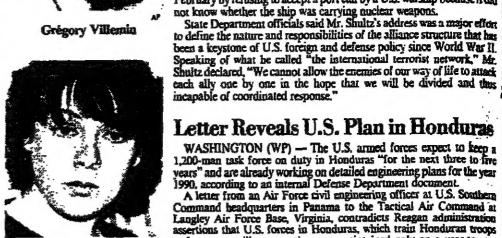
There was more, Mrs. Villemin, indicted for murder and imprisoned at the beginning of July, declared a hunger strike. After several days of intense national attention, Mrs. Villemin, who is six months pregnant, started eating again. On Tuesday, she was re-leased pending further investigation. Lépanges is torn, its inhabitants say, into

two factions: those who believe in Mrs. Villemin's guilt and those who believe in her innocence. Meanwhile, at the graveyard behind the simple church, a stream of tomists

The site has become almost an obligatory bandwriting analysis that had purportedly stop for passing cars, as have the Villemins' incriminated Mr. Laroche was rejected on empty home nearby, the post office on the procedural grounds. Several weeks later, he main road below, where the anonymous letters were postmarked, and the bend in the Vologne where Gregory was found.



Grégory Villemin



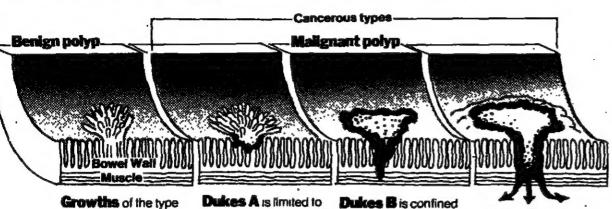
Christine Villemin

Langley Air Force Base, Virginia, contradicts Reagan administration assertions that U.S. forces in Honduras, which train Honduran troops and support military exercises, are maintained only on a year-to-year Defense Department officials said the letter reflected "the author's own planning assumptions" and did "not necessarily reflect U.S. or Honduran policy."

Reagan's Cancer: Where It Fits in Polyp System

Cross section of bowel and various types of polyps that can develop there. Five-year survival rates are for postsurgical removal of polyps. Dukes system, commonly ported his classification scheme in 1932.

used to designate extent of cancer spread, is named for Dr. Cuthbert E. Dukes, a pathologist in London who re-



removed from President's bowel Friday are usually not cancerous. They can, however, become large enough to require major surgery

the bowel wall Survival rate: More than 90 perto the muscle wall in the boweł and sometimes to surrounding fat. This type of polyp was removed Saturday from the President. Survival rate: Ranging from 50 to 80 percent.

Dukes C involves cancer spread to the lymph nodes. Survival rate: About 40 percent

The State of the President's Health: Uncertainty Will Persist

(Continued from Page 1) been given a greater than 90 per-

Cancers, by definition, can spread from a local site where they originate to almost any other area in the body. But each type of cancer tends to have its favorite targets. Colon cancers tend to spread most often to the liver, but they also can

Doctors lack the techniques needed to detect the earliest steps of the spread of a cancer from one site in the body to another. The process leads to what are known as metastases, the formation of sateilite growths elsewhere in the body. and it begins with the escape of a few cells from the original site. The speed with which metastases form can vary among individuals who have the same type of cancer, and why that is the case is one of the

biological mysteries of cancer. Thus, if any cancer cells are in Mr. Reagan's body today, and they begin to grow somewhere outside his colon, their presence will not be detectable unless they divide and multiply enough times to produce new growths. Such damage would not be evident for months or years, and the speed of that process depends on the biological characteristics of Mr. Reagan's tumor, charac-

teristics that medicine cannot now measure with precision.

Shortly after Mr. Resean fully recovers from his cancer operation, he will begin to undergo the series of tests that his doctors will use to determine if he remains free of candeveloped over recent years to detect smaller and smaller primary cancers and metastases.

Mr. Reagan's blood will be tested serially at about two-month intervals to measure the amounts of a tumor marker, carcinoembryonic antigen, or CEA. Its major use is to follow patients like Mr. Reagan who have had curative operations for colon cancer. A rise in the amount of the antigen could indi-cate recurrence of the cancer.

He will also have thorough colonoscopic examinations in six

Colon cancers have three major ways of spreading within the body. One is by direct invasion of tissues in the areas adjacent to the primary cancer. A second is through the lymph system, a collection of tiny lems occur in fewer than I percent arise from polyps.

Standard X-rays will be part of the procedure, but there will also be computerized CAT-scan X-ray tests and radioisotope scans that can detect tumors and other abnormalities in the liver and other or-

months and in a year.

tubes and glands that parallel and of the examinations carried out.

Mr. Reagan's doctors found no conservatively.

evidence that cancer cells had invaded the nearby tissues or that terologist who detected Mr. Reacer. The tests they will use are the they had spread to any of the 15 gan's first polyp at Bethesda Naval minister, said "most of the esti-standard ones that doctors have lymph nodes that were removed Medical Center, has said that he mates are very flexible and do not

If the pathologists had seen can-cer cells in the lymph glands, it would have indicated that the cells might have escaped to begin to ing elsewhere. But none were seen, the doctors said.

Mr. Reagan's two previous beniga polyps were discovered through a proctosigmoidoscope test that examines about one-third the length of the colon, the part where most cancers arise.

That is why the use of long colonoscopes that can examine the entire length of the colon, a distance of about six feet (two meters), is so valuable. They rely on fiber optics that allow light to bend around corners so that doctors can see the entire colon.

Colonoscopists take great care to avoid complications such as bleeding and piercing the wall of the bowel, because they can result in medical catastrophes. These prob-

eventually coupty into the circula-tory system. The third is through the bloodstream.

In not using the colonoscope un-til last Friday, Mr. Reagan's doc-tors appear to have been thinking

along with the two-foot section of and other members of the team mean much, since most of the spe-bowel that was cut out in the cancer gave considerable thought to recommending that Mr. Reagan un-

dergo a colonoscopy in 1984.
But he said the doctors did not do so because Mr. Resgan's polyp was of an inflammatory, not gla dular, type and thus not statistically related to cancers elsewhere in the bowel. Also, tests showed no blood, a possible indication of a colon cancer, in Mr. Reagan's stools at that time, the White House has said.

One puzzling aspect of Mr. Rea-gan's case is why, once his doctors decided not to do a colonoscopy, they did not recommend a barium

A more vigorous approach in using colonoscopes to examine the entire colon reflects a radical shift in medical thinking. A few decades ago most doctors believed that bowel polyps rarely, if ever, turned into cancer.

Now the prevailing belief is that most, if not all, cancers of the colon

France Pledges Eureka A Billion Francs as Start

By Axel Krause

mal Revold Tribus International Herald Tribune
PARIS — President François
Mitterrand pledged a French government contribution of 1 billion
francs (about \$116 million) on sday as a first step to finance Eureka, the program he proposed three months ago as Western Europe's response to technological challenges posed by U.S. research for a defense in space against mis-

Opening a meeting of high-level officials from 17 European countries, Mr. Mitterrand conceded that there were numerous financial and organizational obstacles to Eureka. But he urged foreign ministers

and ministers of research to support the program "to sissure the technological independence of Europe," notably with regard to the United States and Japan.

Mr. Mitterrand termed the pro-

ject a "decisive" step for Europe. More cautious reactions, particularly with regard to governmental financing of Eureka projects, were expressed by West German, British and Swiss officials. They said they

supported the hasic purpose but declined to commit money.

Mr. Mitterrand said that the French contribution in the first year would be mainly in the form of government subsidies and loans. The budget for Enreka has been

estimated at 55 billion francs over five years. An aide to Roland Dumas, France's external relations clearly defined or decided."

France has focused on five sectors for development; computers. telecommunications, robotics, new materials and biotechnology.

Sir Geoffrey Howe, Britain's for-cign secretary, who had previously expressed support for Eureka, told the meeting that Eureka projects should be oriented to the requirements of the market worldwide, and that the choice of projects should be up to industrialists. "It will be for Europe's industrialists to identify the specific market-related projects within these broad sectors," he said.

Sir Geoffrey also emphasized that the main role of European governments and institutions, primarily the European Commission, should be to help create "the right environment for the market, which

in Europe is still fragmented. He did not say how Britain would help finance Eureka pro-jects, adding: "There is no lack of financial resources in Europe. Europe's private-sector financial institmions are strong, but they need to be mobilized behind Eureks."

Hans-Dietrich Genscher, the West German foreign minister, said that Bonn would consider helping finance projects, but on a case-by-case basis and only after specific projects had been submit-ted by German companies, which, he said, should help in the financ-

Mr. Genscher said funds could also be raised through the EC budget and national and international financial markets

"We are definitely not talking about setting up a government-sub-sidized program first, as Mr. Mit-terrand has suggested," said a semor West German diplomat.

Another high-level meeting is ex-pected to be scheduled in the fall. probably in Bonn, to pursue such questions as financing and involv-

American delegation in Geneva "to

percent cut across the board in mis-

some of Japan said Wednesday,

The Strategic Defense Initiative

has figured prominently in Mr. Na-

Reuters reported from Rome.

Christian and Moslem militia units battled with rocket-propelled grenades and jeep-mounted cannon over southern sectors of the dividing line. Several mortar shells landed in nearby residential neighborhoods security officials said. The Voice of Lebanon radio, operated by the Christians, said six persons were injured by shellfire in the eastern area of Hazmich. Meese Urges Media Curb on Terrorists

35 Syrians Arrive for Beirut Duty

BEIRUT (UPI) - Thirty-five Syrian officers arrived Wednesday to

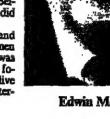
supervise the restoration of order in mainly Moslem West Beirut, as new fighting erupted along the line with East Beirut. The Syrian officers are to oversee a security plan to replace Lebanese militiamen with police

LONDON (AP) — Attorney General Edwin Meese 3d said Wednesday that the U.S. Justice Department was considering asking news organizations to adopt a voluntary code to control coverage

of terrorist incidents. Speaking at a news conference during the American Bar Association's convention here, Mr. Meese said such a voluntary code was among approaches being studied after the hijacking last month of a TWA sirliner and the ensuing Beirut hostage crisis. He said he did

not favor legal restraints.

The drama of the hijacking and detention of American crewmen and passengers in Lebanon was used by the Shiite captors as a forum for news conferences and live television appearances and inter-



For the Record

Two Turkisk Cypriot political groups, the rightist National Unity Party, and the leftist Communal Liberation Party, which have a majority in the parliament of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus, agreed Wednesday to form a coalition government, party officials said. (Reuters) A law abolishing the Greater London Council and six other municipal authorities in big cities controlled by the opposition Labor Party on Tuesday received the constitutional formality of the queen's assent. (AP)

Sand Arabia is testing Britain's Challenger battle tanks in its southern mountain region, a British official in Jeddah said Wednesday. The tests reportedly could lead to the purchase of up to 250 tanks, each worth \$1.75

The first elections for Hong Kong's new 24-member legislative council will be held Sept. 26, the government announced Wednesday. The council, along with 10 government officials and 22 persons appointed by

traveling last weekend, a State Department spokesman said Wednesday.

Mikhail S. Gorbachev has replaced the political director of the Soviet armed forces, Alexei A. Yepishev, 77, with Alexei Lizichev, a man in his mid-50s, Soviet sources said Wednesday. The move followed a series of other top-level changes over the past week.

Schism at Women's Meeting

(Continued from Page 1)

sile launchers and warheads, the first time the Russians had mentioned explicit warhead limits. But officials said Tuesday that so far tional Planned Parenthood Federation, the largest nongovernmental family planning organization in the world, with affiliates in 120 coun-Italy and Japan have insisted

They condemn artificial contraception as immoral and object to the federation's sex-education program, charging that it encourages children to be sexually active.

hood is bigoted and racist," said James L. Deger, an official of the American Life League in Washington. "Basically, all their activities very easily fall within the definition

Reflecting on calls for popula-

one of the groups that successfully lobbied the Reagan administration to withhold \$10 million of its \$46 million contribution to the United Nations Fund for Population Activities. The league charged that China, which receives financial support from the fund, forced women to have abortions as part of its family planning program.

Planned Parenthood Federation denied that it advocates abortion as a method of family planning. To call us racist is absurd," Mrs. Wadia said.

itself as a group of autonomous national family planning organiza-tions, is defended by most African governments and Western financial supporters, which maintain that population control is crucial and illiteracy.

Ms. Tereshkova, the first worse to make a space flight, orbital in the first worse.

enjoying all other rights," Sally Mugabe, the head of Zimbabwe's delegation and the wife of Prime Minister Robert Mugabe, said this week. "First and foremost, our bodies belong to us."

Many anti-abortion groups and family planning experts agree on one thing — that Depo-Provers, * ong-lasting birth control drag banned in the United States but available in much of the developing world, should no longer be distrib-uted. The drug's side effects include excessive bleeding weight gain and mood changes; it has been linked to cancer in laboratory ani-

"We see women who say they would rather die than have another child," said Margaret Thuo, information and educational officer for the Family Planning Association of Kenya, in explaining why the drug is still being used. The mayailability of legal abor-

tions has led many African women to obtain illegal ones. In Kenya, illegal abortions are common and every year thousands of women are admitted to Kenyatta National Hospital in Nairobi for complications resulting from botched abovtions, according to the Ministry of

■ Cosmonant Blames U.S.

Valentina Tereshkova, a former cosmonant and the chief Soviet delegate at the conference, said Wednesday that the U.S. indisting in space weaponry and other pos-cies were major obstacles impeding progress for women, The Associate ed Press reported.

Her speech, on the third day of the 12-day conference, blamed the United States and its affice for a "runaway arms race" and said that military expenditures were divering resources from programs to combat poverty, hunger, distant

"Women must control their own Earth 48 times aboard Vostok 6.5

Reporting for Radio Bombo Is Risky Business. Test Delay

rectly condoning the slayings by not ensuring that the cases are fully

In the past two years, only one slaying of a journalist has been solved. In that case, a military man was arrested for the killing in No-vember of Walter Sisbrenio, a newspaper reporter. No motive for the slaying has been given.

This month, Defense Minister Juan Ponce Enrile ordered additional security for reporters and said investigators should make extraordinary efforts to solve the re-



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cent killings. But Filipino journal- drum rests beside the announcer's ists remain skeptical.
"I don't think there's going to be any solution to these cases," Mr.

Even with diligent effort, several of the recent killings would probably be difficult to solve. Some of those killed were part-time journal-ists, a mainstay of low-budget provincial radio stations, and were also lawyers, politicians or business men. They may have been killed by enemies acquired in their other walks of life.

The killings coincide with a general decline in law and order, fed by economic hardship, widespread corruption, a growing Communist insurgency and military abuses.

"These murders are part of a national deterioration," said Ni-mez Cacho-Olivares, a Manila newspaper columnist. "But the most disturbing thing is that journalists are clearly no longer off lim-

DYFM, which has specialized in covering graft and corruption cases, is known to its listeners as Radio Bombo. A bombo, in the local dialect, is a big drum. A bass



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seat in the broadcast booth.

"When you say something like, 'And this government official has stolen 30,000 pesos from the public, that's when you hit the drum,"
Mr. Arcones said. On his show,
"Zona Libre," which is broadcast six times a week, Mr. Arcones says he bangs the drum about 10 times

Among provincial stations, Bombo radio is consistently mentioned as the leader for quality and professionalism. Its investigations are well documented, thorough and When Mr. Arcones exposed graft

in a nearby town, the town's mayor came to the station, sobbing, and pleaded with Mr. Arcones to stop. "No way," he was told. Bombo radio was the only provincial station to cover the Manila funeral of the slain opposition lead-

er Benigno S. Aquino Jr. in 1983. Bombo radio can afford such moves because of its advertising revenue. It is tuned in by nearly three-fourths of the market in relatively prosperous Iloilo. There have been some reportori-

al disappointments. When Konstantin U. Chemenko, the Soviet leader, died in March, Mr. Arcones called the Kremlin for comment He figured someone there would speak English, he says, "but all we got was nyet, nyet, nyet." ■ Mayor, 4 Guards Are Killed The Philippine military said that

suspected Communist rebels shot

to death a town mayor and four

bodyguards in the third killing of a mayor by guerrillas in five days. The Associated Press reported

Wednesday from Cagayan de Oro.

(Continued from Page 1) Reagan could be bleeding from a point farther up the colon, a finding that is not definitive but that many cancer specialists say war-rants an immediate, complete examination of the colon, either by

colonoscopy. Instead of insisting on an immediate full colon exam, the president's doctors merely recommended such a procedure when it was convenient. White House orneaus have said that the press of events in April and May led them to schedule the examination for June, but that the hijacking of Trans World Airlines Flight 847 pushed it off again until last week, nearly four

months after it was recommended. Although cancers of the colors grow more slowly than most other forms, doctors know that any delay increases the risk.

prudent and active medical services possible, White House physicians have tended to say that Mr. Reagan should be treated much the same as

Attention has also turned to the quality of medical care available to Although medical experts not connected with the case have argued that the president of the United States ought to receive the most

any other patient. During Mr. Reagan's first term, the new president, who had under-gone annual physical exams for decades, suddenly stopped having them. When the first polyp was found, it was during Mr. Reagan's first complete exam in two and a

Soviet Offer Acknowledged warheads and limit half of the rest (Continued from Page 1) Mr. Speakes said efforts by the

however, that such a proposal had

never officially been made Tuesday, the White House stateelicit Soviet answers to our quesment said that "regrettably, the So-viet position has remained entions about these concepts, with regard to issues such as numbers, ceilings and rates of possible reductrenched, with no movement in their formal positions."

A State Department official underscored that the statement had said "formal" position, and he added that "if the Russians are going to be more flexible in the future, only time will tell, but we can't be in the position of commenting on informal comments possibly raised by some Soviet official."

Larry Speakes, the White House spokesman, discussing the new So. the Soviet side had not formally viet concepts, said that "the meth-made that offer at Geneva. od of aggregation proposed in these Italy, Japan Discuss SDI concepts seems designed to favor Italy and Japan have insipreservation of the Soviet Union's that the United States consult its primary area of advantage, that is, in prompt, hard-target kill capabilallies and negotiate with Moscow before installing any defense sysity, the most worrisome element in tem in space, a spokesman for Prime Minister Yasuhiro Naka-

the current strategic equation." The United States says that the

Soviet Union's 10-warhead, landbased missiles have gained in accuracy in recent years and could dekasone's meetings with Prime Min-ister Bettino Craxi and Foreign Minister Giulio Andreotti, officials stroy American land-based missiles. The United States would like to see the Soviet Union eliminate about a third of its missile of both sides said

Initial Tests on Recorders Fail to Explain Jet Disaster BOMBAY - Aviation experts ficial confirmation.

working to filter out background been established, he said, except noise on the tapes. They said more complete analy- ing."] ses of a second electronic recorder.

the Atlantic off the coast of Ire-lantic,

Reuters reported. There was no ofsaid Wednesday that preliminary [Graham Leroy, a U.S. analyst tests on the voice recorder of an from Lockheed Aircraft Services Air-India jetliner had failed to ex- who is working on the analysis of plain the June 23 crash that killed the flight recorder, later said the 329 people. The analysts continued report was incorrect. Nothing had that the flight recorder "is work-

Justice B.N. Kirpal, chief of the which contains flight data, may Indian government inquiry into the take up to two weeks. Sabotage is crash, said he had listened to the suspected in the crash, the third-cockpit tape from the flight but was worst disaster in aviation history. still unable to say what caused the The two recorders were recov- jet, which was en route from Canacred last week from the wreckage in da to India, to plunge into the At-

S.N. Sharma, secretary to the [The Press Trust of India, quot- court of inquiry and an official in ing sources, reported Wednesday the Ministry of Civil Aviation, said that computer printouts of the Thesday that conversation on the flight-data recorder showed that an tape "came to an abrupt and sudexplosion had ripped through the den end" moments before the plane shortly before it crashed, crash.



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the governor, will help rule the territory. The United States has protested to the Soviet charge d'affaires in Washington over the minry to a U.S. Army colonel in East Germany, who was hurt when a Soviet Army truck rammed the vehicle in which he was

tion have thus far essentially gone There were reports last week that Soviet officials had told visiting American members of Congress that Moscow would consider a 25-

ally the focus of their attacks, is illegal in most of the developing world, their primary target at the women's conference is the Interna-

"International Planned Parent-

tion control in the Third World, Mr. Deger said, The main reason why there are food shortages and all that in Africa is local problems in food storage and government The American Life League was

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Handling of Marine Wounded In Beirut Bomb Attack Faulted

By Philip M. Boffey
New York Times Service
WASHINGTON — The handling of casualties by the U.S. Air that the U.S. European Command

Force after the 1983 truck bombing of a Marine Corps barracks in Leb-anon is described as medically and ethically indefensible by an internal memorandum prepared by an army officer. The air force officer in charge of

the transfer of seriously wounded marines to Europe has defended

the operation.
U.S. readiness to handle such casualties in the European Command after terrorist attacks or a larger conventional war has also been sharply criticized in various internal military documents.

Two memorandoms written shortly after the Beirut bombing reveal competition between the air force and the army to care for victims of the bombing who were taken to Europe and to reap the publicity rewards from providing the

in the course of the struggle, air force officers, who took charge of patient distribution, shunted the wounded to an overburdened air force hospital while better-prepared army hospitals were pushed into the background, according to one army officer. The officer, Colonel George W. Ward Jr., who helped coordinate the army's mediate the continued of the conti cal response, said the air force decisions could not be defended "medically, morally or ethically."

Another document, a classified report from April 1984 now circu-

lating in the Pentagon and Con-gress, charges that "the Beirut ter-rorist act of Oct. 23, 1983, revealed Rhem-Main Air Base in West Gerlacks a comprehensive, integrated plan for providing care to the victims of terrorist attacks."

The report has been kept secret over the objections of Pentagon health officials and the House Armed Services Committee. In May the committee charged that the Joint Chiefs of Staff were trying to classify the report as secret not because it contains classified information but because of its critical nature." A summary of the report, containing no classification marks. has been made available,

The terrorist bombing destroyed the marine barracks at Beirut International Airport, killing 241 marines and wounding more than 100.

The Pentagon's own official investigation of the bombing, headed by a retired admiral, Robert L.J. Long, gave some hint of the medical problems in its public report, issued in December 1983.

The Long report praised the "hebombing and commended the per-

ready to receive them. The commission als

many, which is near the Wiesbaden air force hospital, rather than to the Ramstein Air Base, which is near an army hospital that was better equipped to care for the most seriously wounded. As a result, the most seriously wounded faced additional transport time by helicop-

ter to reach the army hospital.

The commission said it had found no evidence that any of the wounded died or received improper medical treatment" because of the tributed. But it charged that the decision to land the aircraft at Rhein-Main rather than Ramstein "may have increased the risk to the most seriously wounded,"

The air force officer in charge of patient distribution, Brigadier General Richard D. Hansen, who is now retired, defended his decisions and blamed any problems on lack of a clear medical command structure in the European Command, a unified command that is supposed to direct and coordinate roic" effort at the scene of the the actions of all three military services in Europe.

formance of medical personnel at all of the places that handled the victims. But the commission quesevacuation aircraft to fly first to tioned the decision to evacuate Ramstein to unload the most critisome of the most seriously injured cally ill patients, General Hansen patients to American hospitals in acknowledged that he did not like West Germany when a much closer these instructions and so personal-British hospital on Cyprus was ly "took control of the casualty



SPACEMEN'S REUNION - Major General Alexei Leonov of the Soviet Air Force, flanked by Thomas P. Stafford, left, and Vance Brand, attending a ceremony at the National Academy of Sciences in Washington commemorating the 10th anniversary of the linkup in space of Soviet and U.S. spacecraft. The five astronauts and cosmonauts who were aboard the two craft July 17, 1975, urged a U.S.-Soviet mission to Mars.

Senate Confirms Envoys With Assent of Helms

By Steven V. Roberts New York Times Service
WASHINGTON — By overwhelming margins the Senate has confirmed three key White House diplomatic appointments and end-

ed a monthlong battle with conservatives over more than two dozen State Department nominations. Richard R. Burt, now assistant he declined to elaborate. secretary of state for European affairs, was approved Tuesday as ambassador to West Germany by a

Rozanne L. Ridgway, now ambassador to East Germany, was confirmed to succeed Mr. Burt, 88-

Edwin G. Corr was endorsed, 89-8. as ambassador to El Salvador. succeeding Thomas Pickering, who has been named amhassador to is-

These three are among 29 appointees who Senator Jesse Helms and other Senate conservatives maintain are too liberal. The rest were approved earlier by voice

As a price for permitting the 29 ment in the State Department to nominees to be approved, Mr. "has had an enormous impact the foreign policy of America."

can, had demanded that jobs be found for six conservatives currently in the State Department or

Last week, when he announced that he was dropping his protest, Mr. Helms said he was "very satisfied" with the response he had gotten from the State Department, but

Two aides to the Republican leadership said that Mr. Helms had received "certain assurances," but few specific promises, from the administration that "he would be consulted" on future diplomatic

A State Department official said that one of Mr. Helms's favorites. James L. Malone, would probably be named ambassador to Belize, In addition, Mr. Helms's intervention apparently helped John Gavin, the current ambassador to Mexico, retain his job.

On Monday, Mr. Helms asserted that Mr. Burt, Mrs. Ridgway and Mr. Corr represented a liberal element in the State Department that "has had an enormous impact on

U.S. Envoy Angers French Leaders

Departing Ambassador Made 'Unacceptable' Comments

PARIS - The senior U.S. diplomat in France was summoned Wednesday to the Foreign Minis-try to explain "unacceptable" com-ments by former Ambassador Evan

G. Galbraith, including a sugges-tion that Communists be excluded from political activity.

The ministry said the charge d'affaires, John Maresca, had been

moned after publication of an interview with Mr. Galbraith in the conservative newspaper Le Figaro. Mr. Galbraith, who left his post last week, frequently annoyed French officials during his fouryear tour of duty because of candid comments about President Fran-

çois Mitterrand's Socialist adminis-A ministry statement said the

ecretary-general of the Ministry ing about France in the United for External Relations was summoning the charge d'affaires "to couvey to him the unacceptable

character of Mr. Galbraith's comments." There was no immediate comment from the U.S. Embassy. In the interview, Mr. Galbraith

said Washington's relations with France had improved after Mr. Mitteriand reshuffled his cabinet last year, leaving out four Commu-nists who had been ministers after his election in 1981.

"We never appreciated the prestige that participation in govern-ment gave" the Communists, he said. "For us they are in a sense outlaws and should not even take part in the electoral process. After they left, we felt more at ease talk-

worst human rights abuses.

Mr. Galbraith, a former banker, also issued a prediction for next year's parliamentary elections, saying the conservative opposition would unseat the Socialists.

"I don't know any more than the polls; it is clear that the opposition is going to win," he said, "I have no reason to believe that the polls are

The former ambassador, a personal friend of President Ronald Reagan, was upbraided by French officials soon after Mr. Mitterrand's election for denouncing the president's Communist partners in government as "agents of a force exterior to France, directed by the

He was criticized a year later for condemning France's decision to purchase Soviet gas. He was also summoned to the Foreign Ministry for commenting on France's policy of giving asylum to political exiles. He said it was "not always able to make the distinction between exiles and terrorists."

The ambassador was called to the prime minister's office last year sorship persist."
for describing Charles Fiterman, a
It said the U.S.-supported rebels Communist who at the time was
were responsible for most of the transport minister, as a "poor Frenchman gone awry."



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Leslie C. Arends, U.S. Politician, Dies

RUSH-HOUR INCIDENT — A twin-engine airplane was badly damaged when its engines failed soon after takeoff from Louisville, Kentucky, on Tuesday and it was

forced to land on Interstate 65. No one was hurt, but traffic was slowed down for miles.

NEW YORK — Leslie C. Arends, 89, a conservative Republican who represented Illinois for 40 years in the U.S. Congress and served as House Republican whip for more than 30 years before he retired in 1975, died Tuesday of a heart attack in Naples, Florida.

Mr. Arends, a ranking member of the House Armed Services Com-mittee, was considered the consummate partisan; his devotion to the Republican Party was so great that his entire career was spent support-ing it, defending it and praising it with all of his considerable vigor "I was brought up right," he once said, "as a Republican."

Mr. Arends grew up on his fa-ther's farm in Illinois. He attended Oberlin College in Ohio and served three years in the navy in World

In 1934 he was elected to the House of Representatives and in 1943 he was elected Republican whip. The chief duties of the whip are rounding up party members and seeing that they are on the floor for major votes, and helping the House party leader hold a solid block of votes in line on the party's side of major issues.

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The results of a trial were report-

ed June 27 in Moscow by Izvestia.

the government newspaper. Last

year Izvestia expressed concern

about a possible cover-up in the

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In the accident, on Sept. 15, 1983, the dam of a liquid-waste

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Leslie C. Arends

In 1976, Mr. Arends was named to President Gerald Ford's expand-ed Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board as part of the overhaul of the Central Intelligence Agency and other intelligence agencies. Diego Giacometti, 82,

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NEW YORK — Five business officials in the Soviet Union have another and even on natural phenomena.

Rights Group Accuses U.S. Of Distortions on Nicaragua and that "serious problems of cen-

WASHINGTON - A report by WASHINGTON — A report by a private human rights group accuses the Reagan administration of manipulating and distorting information on human rights abuses in Nicaragua to justify U.S. support for rebels fighting the Nicaraguan

The report made public Monday by the group, Americas Watch, is the eighth that it has compiled on Nicaragna since 1982. The report said that "the misuse of human painter, died Monday of a heart attack in the American Hospital in rights data has become pervasive" throughout U.S. official state-Paris. He was preparing to return to his Paris home after a cataract

The administration's accusa His rustic and whimsical bronze tions against Nicaragua rest upon a furniture has been increasingly ad- core of fact," the report said, charging that the Sandinists have commired and sought after by art professionals and collectors in Europe mitted "serious abuses," including and the United States. The crowning achievement of his career was arbitrary arrests and the relocation of thoosands of Miskito Indians. commission for tables, chairs 'Around that core of fact, however, and chandeliers for the new Picasso U.S. officials have built an edifice Museum in Paris, which is to open of insuendo and exaggeration," the

It said that there was no policy of Alberto and Diego Giacometti torture, political murder, or disap-pearance in Nicaragua, but it said were inseparable for 40 years. Diego was Alberto's adviser, confi-dant, model and assistant until Al-

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Better Budget Choices Exist

late in the season to regain momentum for more substantial cuts in the deficit, but it is too early to stop trying. There are better choices to be made than those that the administration has agreed on with the congressional leaders so far.

The agreement, as it stands, protects the Senate's figure for defense appropriations as the administration wished. It also protects the cost-of-living increases in Social Security benefits, as the House Democrats wanted. It is a compromise, in the sense that nobody compromised. But they would have done better to go the opposite way - to take the Senate's position on Social Security and the House's figures for defense appropriations. That would mean eliminating inflation adjustments for both, holding them at their present levels for a year. Sacrificing the inflation adjustments ought not be done for more than one year. Over a longer period, it would impose a dangerous erosion on two crucial functions of government. But for a year, as a badly needed contribution to restraining a big deficit, it would be not only tolerable but good policy. It would lift this year's attempt at fiscal

control above the recent pattern of alternating complaint and acquiescence, in which the deficit sinks a little in good years but rises a lot in the bad ones. This year, the third year of

The struggle to control the federal budget deficit slipped badly last week, with the agreement brokered by the White House. It is now billion from last year. For next year, both House and Senate have now passed resolutions that, following very different routes, would push it down to \$173 billion or a little less. But last week's agreement on defense and Social Security makes it unlikely that they will actually hit that target. There is now a hunt under way for other vulnerable items. It is possible to find them. But it is difficult to cut a long list of small items and then make the cuts stick.

Before ending the hunt and going on holi-day, the conferees from the two congressional budget committees, and the White House, need to give more consideration to the unpleasant but necessary alternative: deletion of inflation increases for the two largest and most sensitive categories in the budget

Both defense and the pension system are threatened by continuing uncontrolled defi-cits, for both require a strong and stable econ-omy. A temporary freeze serves the interests of both. And beyond that temporary freeze? Just as a compass needle keeps swinging back to north, all the logic of the budget keeps coming back to one familiar point. It is going to take a tax increase to pay for the services and protections that most Americans — not only congressmen, but the people who elected them consider basic federal responsibilities.

- THE WASHINGTON POST.



Kanzi, a four-year-old pygmy chimpanzee, has put new sparkle into an ebbing venture: the age-old desire of humans to communicate with other species. Many who claim to have established dialogue with animals turn out to be victims of self-deception. It is easy for researchers to see in animals' behavior what they want to see. Then, too, smart animals like horses and chimpanzees are adept at reading the non-verbal cues in human behavior of which humans are often unaware.

The two propensities can lead to a debacle, most notably in the case of Clever Hans, a horse who was taught to count early this century by a German schoolteacher, Wilhelm von Osten. Everyone was impressed by Hans's arithmetical ability as he gave the right numerical answer to problems with taps of his boof. But as a later study showed, the horse was not counting at all. He carefully watched for his questioner to make a minute, involuntary jerk of his head when the right number was reached, at which point he stopped tapping.

It is not that other species do not have ways of communicating among themselves. The German zoologist Martin Lindauer so understood the signaling among bees about to swarm to their next nesting site that he could get there on his bicycle before the bees did. But the communication of bees is confined to the things bees are interested in. Human language

is more than a set of signals or symbols: It is also the syntax with which they are structured. Recognizing true syntax in communications with animals is harder than it might seem.

Chimpanzees certainly learn signs and even chimpanizes certainly learn signs and even string them together in apparently meaningful phrases. But are they using signs as humans do? An ape that makes signs for "give," "me" and "apple" may seem articulate, yet probably is merely acting like a pigeon trained to peck at red, blue and green to get food. Some critics have dismissed the whole ape-language field as an elaborate repetition of the Clever Hans phenomenon with humans unconsciously enon, with humans unconsciously irzining animals in routines that are then mistaken for communication. The faculty for language may be innate in humans and acquired long after they evolved from other primates. It so, apes cannot take even the first step.

Nonetheless, efforts continue. At the Language Research Center near Atlanta, researchers have noticed that pygmy chimpanzees learn symbols with particular ease. Kanzi, their star student, responds accurately to symbols used by others, and seems to understand human commands. He fetched diapers, hoses. spoons; all you have to do is ask. That is far from proof he has acquired language; such behavior may not differ from a dog retrieving a stick. But it is a promising start.

- THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Other Opinion

Making the Good Times Last

Oil-industry analysts are now talking about the price of crude dran down to \$22 or even \$20 a barrel. After that say, by the early 1990s — prices should again start to rise because oil that has become too cheap will drive a lot of energy producers out of the market, shrinking supplies. The analysts, who have sometimes been wildly wrong, probably have it right this time. Oil prices are heading for a significant fall because that is what current market conditions require. Inevitably, though, the time must come when this process is reversed and market forces again push prices up. The trick for oil-importers is to postpone that time as long as possible.

For most of the 1970s the 13 countries that

make up the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries were able to control the market and to fix prices for a simple reason: They owned most of the world's known supplies of oil. Over time, though, OPEC's high dictated prices encouraged other countries to get into the game and to produce oil in quantities sufficient to erode the cartel's control. The trouble is that if oil prices now start to decline steeply the economic incentives to search for new oil or to develop alternative forms of energy will diminish as well. As that happens, OPEC should be able to reassert its importance, and the world is once more likely to find

itself uneasily dependent on OPEC oil. For now, though, cheaper oil prices loom, with or without OPEC's approval. Already about 75 percent of OPEC's greatly reduced oil output is being sold or bartered at less than

official prices, under the steady pressure of price reductions by non-OPEC oil exporters. As prices fall, the economies of some oil pro-Venezuela - seem destined to be beat up even more. Most of the world, though, will gain. If continued prudence in oil consumption is demonstrated even as prices drop, that gain could last longer than experts forecast. - Los Angeles Times.

Live Aid's Good Vibrations

The weather was bearable, the vibrations were something to sing with and talk about, the fund-raising seamed to be sizable. Saturday's Live Aid concerts in Philadelphia and London were to end the grip of famine on the people of Ethiopia and other central African areas. But let the governments in those places bear in mind that reports on the actual conveyance of aid, long-range as well as short, will now be awaited by the concert-watchers.

Live Aid turned out in one sense to resemble many another TV spectacular to provide money for research into a specific disease or affliction. Yet the occasion organized originally by a Briton named Bob Geldof was also unique. in the way it not only unified individuals and styles from across the vast sween of youngworld music, but also fired up a supposedly "gimme" generation in support of a cause. There is more to rock than the excesses, the narcissism that old folk frequently assign to it. Such a concert will not happen soon again, but it can happen when the summons is sufficient.

- The Baltimore Evening Sun.

FROM OUR JULY 18 PAGES, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

1910: A U.S. Policing of Nicaragua? WASHINGTON - That the United States may be compelled to intervene in Nicaragua and put an end to the state of anarchy prevail-ing there is regarded by officials of the State Department as highly probable. According to the American interpretation of the Monroe Doctrine, the nation which maintains order and respects international obligations has nothing to fear from the United States, but "chronic" wrongdoing which results in a lessening of the ties of civilized society may require intervention and the United States in the interests of the world must exercise an international police power. The Washington Government feels that unless it intervenes there is

with all the ensuing complications.

1935: Skulls Called Pre-Neanderthal BERLIN - What experts claim to be the skulls of the ancestors of the prehistoric Neanderthal man were found [on July 17] at St. Martin's Church at Bilk, near Düsseldorf. When excavations were made at this church to investigate ancient Franconian tombs three well-preserved, completely petrified skulls from diluvian times were discovered slightly more than six feet underground. The skulls, which were a little less than half an inch thick and have receding foreheads and enormously thick eyeholes, thus show all the characteristics of Neanderthal man. Their construction, however, being still flatter, experts think the skulls must belong to the Neanderthal man's foredanger of the intervention of a foreign Power fathers. The skulls were taken to the Prehistoric Institute at Bonn for further examination.

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Remember years ago when that sign was the other way around ?'

United Sympathy for Reagan Is Useful, But Transient

WASHINGTON — When a president is stricken, the natuinstinct of the nation is to close ranks. For a few months, the present ranks. For a few months, the present mood of sympathy and unity in America is likely to prevail, but not for the remaining three and a half years of Ronald Reagan's presidency. No doubt the central figures in the cabinet and the White House staff will be able to compose their differences over control of the budget, the arms race and other terrors. Even Congress may be a little more cooper-

Congress may be a little more cooperative and less combative for a while.
But three and a half years is a long time at the present rate of surpidity in the world. There are deep divisions in the United States and on both do-mestic and foreign policy. The battle for control of the Senate next year will be vicious, and these policy and political battles are bound to come to the fore under the most difficult cir-cumstances, regardless of the state of the president's health and spirit.

He will undoubtedly get through the summer all right, after a much-needed rest. Congress will be away recuperating from its own self-inflict-ed wounds. He has at the core of his cabinet and White House staff a group of intelligent, experienced men, and he can probably referee their differences about as well from the ranch as from the Oval Office.

Later in the year, however, things may get a little awkward. He is sched-uled to have his first summit meeting with the leader of the Soviet Union, and here there is a switch. Mr. Reagan has been complaining ever since he came into the White House that he was dealing with old and ailing Soviet leaders who were leaving decisions to a "collective leadership" that could

not make up its mind. Now he is confronted by a feisty, younger Soviet leader, Mikhail S. Gorbachev, who has been getting rid of the old guard, while the president is suffering from the ailments of old age and relying on his own "collective leadership" in Washington.

It will be interesting to see who emerges from this Reagan team during the president's convalescence, and where he places his trust until he is strong enough to take over again.
Will it be Vice President George
Bush, or chief of staff Donald T. Regan, or will he refuse to establish a clear line of temporary authority and let them struggle along until they can-

not settle their differences? The guess here is that Mr. Reagan will let them struggle and think about it later. That is what he did about his own health at the first sign of trouble in May 1984, during the election campaign. He let it drift.

By Paul Brians

P ULLMAN, Washington - Not

were bombed nearly 40 years ago

have images of nuclear war been so

to love the nuclear bomb — espe-cially youngsters, who are escaping their anxiety by embracing the

In Los Angeles, teen-agers wear-ing necklaces of bones dance to

rock videos depicting atomic apoca-

lypse. Such images have long been a

staple of some television channels.
Video games depicting nuclear

warfare are popular. The onetime big hit Missile Command, in which

the player uses antiballistic missiles

to defend cities against attack (it all

ended with a flash and a mushroom

cloud bearing the words "Game

Over"), has been succeeded by

games that are more sophisticated,

The Australian movie "Mad Max

II: The Road Warrior," set in a

post-holocaust wasteland, was a big

int with young people a few years ago, and its sequel, "Mad Max: Beyond Thunderdrome," is a bigger

one this year. Last year, they

flocked to see "The Terminator," in

which Arnold Schwarznegger, as a

robot, was bent on insuring destruc-

tion of the human race in a nuclear

war — a film remarkable for the

way it endorsed survivalist philoso-

phy: Since nuclear conflict is inev-

itable, the best we can do is arm and

train to fight in the postwar chaos.

Comic book collectors are snap-

ping up the Judge Dredd series, which depicts a violent world of chaos after nuclear destruction.

Popular fiction dealing with nu-

such as Ground Zero.

Americans, it seems, are learning

widespread in popular culture.

since Hiroshima and Nagasaki

By James Reston

The chances are that he will let Mr. Regan be Mr. Reagan for a while, which may make James Baker wonder why he left the chief of staff job for the Treasury. But it is just possible, though not likely, that Mr. Reagan will push the vice president forward, looking to the future — for a couple of main reasons.

First, it is only fair within the spirit of the 25th Amendment that the vice president, as the only other person elected by the nation, should represent the president, not only when the president is "incapacitated" but when somebody has to run the store under presidential direction.

chance of recovering completely and serving out his term in full command of his faculties, then there is no problem, except for that other 50 percent,

suggesting that maybe he will not.

Politicians are sentimental only up to a point. They figure the odds, and the name of the game is winning and holding power. Here Mr. Bush, though no darling of the Republican conservatives, may have a political as well as a policy role to play.

The president needs the support of

the Democrats even to get a limited compromise on the budget and on arms control, and he is not getting it. under presidential direction.

Second, if the doctors are right that money on Social Security, less money on defense, get him out of "star wars"

and get the Republicans out of con-trol of the Senate in 1986 and out of the White House in 1988.

But they have to be careful not to add to their recent presidential election failures. For if the president does not recover his health and his full powers in the next three and a half years, given the 50-50 bet and the accidents of life, he always has the option of resigning and turning the presidency over to Mr. Bush, who would then seek re-election in 1988 from the White House.

This is obviously not the president's or the Democrats' favorite vision of the future, but in the struggle for power around here, you would be surprised what the political managers and bucksters think about.

State of Mind May Help Cancer Patient

By Norman Cousins

T OS ANGELES - Does the attitude of a patient make any difference in the treatment of cancer? Medical researchers at the University of Pennsylvania

Cancer Center did a questionnaire survey of 359 patients suffering from "advanced, high-risk cancer." The patients were questioned about their emotions, attitudes and life styles. The death rate of the patients was 75 percent. The conclusion of the researchers was that emotional or "psychosocial" factors did not affect the course of the disease The implication is that cancer patients are deceived if they think that confidence, hopefulness and a strong will to live play an important part in treatment.

If one reads the report carefully, however, it becomes

apparent that the main question posed by the study is whether anything can change the outcome of high-risk cancer cases. The people who responded to the questionnaire also had received conventional medical treatment rate was the same 75 percent, the conclusion applied to attitudes would also apply to medical care.
Yet few people would be disposed to say, because the

chances of survival in advanced cancer are very small, that medical care should be withheld. Whatever the odds we have the obligation to provide the best that medical science has to offer. The medical journals regularly report high-risk cancer cases that have gone into remission. The very fact that these cases are highlighted in the medical press is evidence that they defied specialists predictions. Physicians will give no guarantee that medical treat-ment will "cure" in any given case. Neither will anyone who ministers to the emotional or spiritual needs of a

patient provide absolute assurances. But humans are energized by their hopes. A patient's will to live cannot be totally disregarded in making a prognosis or in designing a treatment. We must mobilize all the resources of the patient - physical, emotional, intellectual and spiritual It has been stated that no scientific evidence exists to support the idea that emotions can affect the course of serious disease. This is not entirely true. The Institute for the Advancement of Health has published two compre-hensive reviews of research projects on the way human emotions interact with the human physiology. Both books are edited by Steven E. Locke and Mady Hornig-Rohan.

The first volume is called "Mind and Immunity," and The first volume is called "Mind and Immunity," and summarizes 1,400 separate research projects. The second, "Psychological and Behavioral Treatments for Disorders of the Heart and Blood Vessels," contains accounts of 916 research papers dealing with psychological factors and cardiac disease. Both books demonstrate that attitudes and emotions have physical effects. Meanwhile, research projects are going forward to determine just how these psychological factors affect bodily functions.

A rew field of medicine called psychoneuroimmunology is emerging. It is based on the concept that there is no

logy is emerging. It is based on the concept that there is no single cause of serious disease or no single key to a cure; the brain, the endocrine system and the immune system interact in a way that can set a stage for disease to

progress or enhance prospects of recovery.

For example, cancer specialists led by Dr. W.A. Gordon studied 308 women with breast and lung cancer and were able to identify the role of negative emotions in the intensification of their illnesses. Dr. F.I. Fawzy, a cancer specialist at the University of California Los Angeles School of Medicine, has been using psychosocial therapy with conventional cancer treatment.

Two groups in California have been created that are having a significant effect on the quality of life of cancer patients. One is called We Can Do, and the other is called the Wellness Community. Many of the patients have lived long past the time predicted for them by their physicians, many of whom have no hesitation in saying that the determination and will to live of the patients accounts for significant part of their progress

It is nonsense to treat patients as though they consisted exclusively of mechanical parts. It is equal nonsense to regard physicians as mechanics. Human beings are unique because of their ability to gain command of their experiences, to draw meaning from life, and to think and feel deeply. Physicians know that their science works best when they treat a human being as a magnificent totality.

The writer, who contributed this view to the Los Angeles Times, is an adjunct professor of medical humanities at the University of California Los Angeles School of Medicine. He is the author of "Anatomy of an Iliness" (1980) and "The Healing Heart" (1983), published by W.W. Norton.

Reagan can joke about bombing the Kremlin, with remarkably little public reaction, it is clear that nu-

clear war is no longer "unthink-able." Increasing numbers of people

have begun to consider it inevitable.

Serious analyses, such as the films "The Day After" and "Testa-

ment," do not reflect the actual

state of public consciousness about the menace of nuclear war. Most people cannot be bothered with the

complexities of nuclear weapons

and disarmament. It is far easier to

think of nuclear war as simply The End of the World. The most com-mon reaction is: "If the bomb

drops, I hope I'm right under it."

Such attitudes have always been

common, but what is new is the

bravado with which books and films

depict the prospect of Armageddon. What was shocking black comedy in

the movie "Dr. Strangelove" is now

the norm for many young people.

Some of this is adolescent posturing
—the equivalent of flaunting swas-

tikas, to alienate adults - but much

of it, I suspect, reflects the despuir

about the future revealed in surveys

Video games, films, music and books are reconciling a generation to nuclear war as inevitable. This

undermines the possibility that the

next generation will deal any more

rationally with the problem than we

have. Educators and parents need

to pay more attention to this trend

and to make it clear to youth that a

The writer, associate professor of English at Washington State Univer-sity, is completing a book, "Nuclear Holocausts: Atomic War in Fietlon

1914-1984." He contributed this

holocaust won't be fun.

of youths' view of nuclear war.

Cheaper Oil Won't Slow **Exploration**

By Hobart Rowen

WASHINGTON — For many years, most oil-market "experis" peddled poor advice and anaiysis: OPEC was in control, they said, and could exact whatever toll it pleased from a petroleum-dependen-society. Prices, which had been in pennies a barrel before 1973, rose to \$34 a barrel in 1979-80. The common wisdom was that \$75 or \$100 a barrel was not out of reach.

Any effort to depress the price would only make the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries de-cide to keep the oil in the ground where it would gain in value, the socalled experts maintained.

But now, the OPEC cartel is in tatters, its effort to protect a \$26 price a failure. The consuming world learned a lesson from OPEC's repeat-ed oil "shocks," wisely resorting to conservation and substitution. And OPEC's extortionate prices stimulated new explorations of oil.

Today, the oil market is dominated by a glut and falling prices, despite the fact that OPEC producers have drastically cut production, and the inability of warring Iran and Iraq to pump and market all they would like. Philip K. Verleger Jr. of Charles River Associates said in recent testi-mony before a House Energy subcommittee that the real question is whether the slide in prices can be stopped at \$20 a barrel or even \$10. he says, is now a commodity like any other, meaning that prices can oscillate from levels below \$10 to levels over \$40 a barrel, and that there is very little that any govern-ment or cartel can do to stabilize it. Meanwhile, many businesses and banks that bet on the bad advice they got from experts over the past 10 years—a one-way, upward oil spiral—have already lailed. And those

who continue to have a vested interest in keeping prices up beg for a gentle, rather than precipitate, slide, The latest argument against declining oil prices is that there is a risk that conservation and exploration will slacken off, cheaper oil will substitute for other energy sources, and soon OPEC will be back in the saddle.

But Mr. Verleger points out that the world has traveled a long distance from the time that the "Seven Sisters" among the oil companies combined with OPEC in a series of preferential agreements to control prices and supply. And some of the new industrial conservation practices and substitu-

tions are probably irreversible.
As Professor Eliyahu Kanovsky of Tel Aviv University and Queens College (one of the few who have been consistently right on oil) pointed out recently, almost everyone connected with the oil industry has vastly underestimated the extent of new oil discoveries. Only a handful have analyzed oil issues clearly, but these remain voices in the wilderness.

Unaccountably, those who get attention are those who had it wrong before. Thus, in a New York Times piece a few days ago (IHT, July 6). Daniel Yergin, president of Cam-bridge Energy Research Associates, said: "Barring a major technological development, the reduction in energy investment will come back to haunt us. Market realities will again give way to geological realities - the concentration of oil reserves in OPEC and in the Middle East. And that will eventually put the era of surplus be-bind us." Mr. Yergin is one of those who did not foresee the oil glut and the accompanying decline in prices.

Mr. Yergin's ability to puzzle out
the oil market should be considered flawed, on the basis of the record. In any event, he is in good company, including those who advised governments, commercial banks and the World Bank, and who wrote tomes for prestigious establishment jour-

nals such as Foreign Affairs. It seems to me that it is high time for editors to pay attention to the those who have been right on oil. They tell us that the risk that lower oil prices would weaken the resolve for conservation and substitution can be offset by import taxes. They add that OPEC's power could be diminished if we continue to stockpile oil in the

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strategic petroleum reserve. In short, a continuing decline in the price of oil provides enormous benefits for the world economy, and will vitiate OPEC's power to hold the world hostage to political aims.
The name of the game now should

be to try to perpetuate that situation, not throw in the towel.

The Washington Post.

LETTER

Making a Fair Exchange I read with interest Hobart Row-

en's news analysis "Japan Fears" Trade Crisis with U.S." (July 8), which seems to suggest that the solution to the problem of the U.S. deficit with Japan is for the Japanese people to stop saving their money and spend it on substandard American prod-ucts. I wonder what old Ben Franklin would have thought of that.

I think a much better approach would be for President Respail to work out a trade with Japanese of U.S. lawyers (of which America has 20 per capita for every one the Japanese have per capita) for engineers (of which Japan has seven per capits for every one per capita in America): Such an exchange could make Americs an industrial nation again. 🖖

FRANK BRADLEY. Melbystrand, Sweden.

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40 Years On, Are We Learning to Love the Bomb?

clear war and its aftermath, a science-fiction staple since the 1940s, has proliferated during the 1980s. and much of its character has shifted. Earlier, the most frivolous postholocaust tales tended to depict the conflict with some expression of horror, or at least regret. Many newer works gleefully embrace the wasteland as a playground for bru-tal heroes indistinguishable from the villains they fight.
Some rightist works, like the nov-

el "The Turner Diaries," by William Pierce, an American neo-Nazi, happily depict nuclear war as the gateway to a new world of fascist delights. Several popular conservative evangelists have declared that the return of Jesus and the Last Judgment will be signaled by an atomic attack, probably on Israel

This trend signals the end of an era in which awed respect was granted the prospect of atomic an-nihilation. When President Ronald

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SOWETO. South Africa - men fired into crowds. Three people died overnight in un- In Soweto, Ian Coetzee, a police rest throughout South Africa, and brigadier, said the violence there violence flared Wednesday in had been intense but added that the Soweto, the country's largest black police had brought it under contownship, reaching what a police trol. In one incident, the police offi-spokesman called "serious cial said, a small bus carrying 15

toria, reporting disturbances around the nation, said the body of a black woman had been found after overnight rioting in Witbank, east of Johannesburg, and that two

heights."

Germans and Americans was
The police headquarters in Prestoned by about 100 girls and boys wearing school uniforms.

"Three windows were damaged but, as far as we know, nobody was injured," he said. "Police escorted

The outbreaks in Soweto, on the outskirts of Johannesburg, were the worst in the recent weeks of unrest in black tomorphism.

A government spokesman said protest proposed rent increases, over a Dutch citizen who made an over a Dutch citizen who made an increase over a Dutch citizen in black townships.

Soweto was the center of student unrest in 1976 that went on nearly a year and took at least 600 lives.

The three deaths overnight raised to 12 the total of blacks killed in political violence in five days. More than 450 have died in the 10 months of protests against apartheid, the legalized racial sys-

tem of segregation.

virtually deserted in 26 communities. Edgar Posselt, an education official, said 46 schools were closed in Duduza, Kwathema and Tsaz-

kane, east of Johannesburg Residents of Soweto said nearly all the schools were closed there. Nearly 1,000 youths gathered outside a court in Soweto, where more than 100 people were to appear on charges of attending an illegal meeting over the weekend to

Soviet Pursues

Anti-Alcohol

MOSCOW — A Soviet police official warned drinkers Wednes-

day that there would be no let-up in

paign, but dismissed fears that po-lice would pick up suspected drunks at random on the street.

"Neither in the autumn, nor win

ter, nor spring, nor next summer will things get easier for persistent drunkards on the street," said a

police major general, Anatoli Zbor-ich, in the weekly Literaturnaya

fear, as some of the newspaper's readers had, that the police were trying to "fulfil a plan" of arrests

by picking up people at random. Interior Minister Vitali Fedor-

chuk said Monday there had been 15,000 violations of the laws intro-

duced June 1. The new rules raised

the legal drinking age, banned the drinking of spirits in the street and

increased penalties for public

The newspaper said many read-ers had written to ask if the clamp-down on alcohol abuse gave police

the right to stop passers-by in the street to check their sobriety.

"Nobody's going to stop some-one on the street and check him 'just for the sake of it,' unless it's a

wife meeting her husband near a food-store drinks department,"

The extent of police action

against the more obviously illegal aspects of alcohol abuse was indi-

cated by a Moscow police captain

quoted Wednesday in the newspa

per Leninskoye Znamya. In the first two weeks of June, his

police had closed 21 stills and ar-rested more than 1,000 people for illegal manufacture of alcohol, he

General Zhorich said.

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Witnesses, who asked that their names not be used, said policemen fired tear gas to clear the court-room. Outside, mounted police charged into the crowd with whips. Witnesses reported injuries and arrests, but said they did not know

how many. idents said that students comandeered at least eight buses to take them to the court.

The police were said to have shot one person in a crowd throwing stones at one of the buses and a bakery truck after they had collid-ed. (Reuters, AP)

Pressure by the Netherlands South Africa was considering Wednesday how to resolve a diplo-

Some young people entered the over a Dutch citizen who made an court and sang freedom songs. the Netherlands Embassy, Reuters

reported from Pretoria.
The Netherlands government set a 48-hour deadline, expiring Thursday morning, for his return.

The Foreign Ministry said Pretoria and The Hague were in con-tact over the detainee, Klaas de There were incidents of stone-throwing elsewhere in Soweto. Res-statements would hamper a solu-

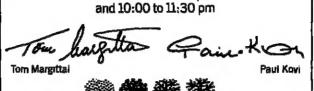
> The Netherlands said Tuesday that it would recall Ambassador Hugo Carsten for consultations unless Mr. de Jonge were returned.

Foreign Minister Pik Botha has said the investigation involving Mr. de Jonge included alleged arms caches for the exiled African National Congress guernilla group, fighting to overthrow white rule.

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Tsutako, talked Thursday with Pope John Paul II during an audience at the Vatican. Mr. Nakasone has also been meeting with officials of the Italian government in Rome. Khmer Rouge Concession Is Lauded By China, Questioned by Sihanouk

A PAPAL AUDIENCE - Prime Minister Yasuhiro Nakasone of Japan and his wife,

BELIING - China welcomed on Wednesday the Khmer Rouge's concessionary stand on the future of Cambodia, but Prince Norodom Sihanouk, who heads the Cambodian resistance coalition, questioned the sincerity of his Communist al-

A Chinese Foreign Ministry spokesman praised the "good faith" of the Khmer Rouge, who are supported by Beijing, in seeking against Vietnamese forces in Cam-

The Khmer Rouge said Monday that it would abide by the results of elections in Cambodia, even if it lost, once Vietnamese troops with-

Prince Sihanouk, referring to the Khmer Rouge, his partners in the measy anti-Vietnamese coalition, said, "I absolutely cannot foretell whether they shall keep their promises or not."

The former Cambodian ruler first formed a coalition with the after he was ousted from power. On Tuesday, the Khmer Rouge Even before the Khmer Rouge issued another statement calling seized control in 1975, they "violat-

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In China, a Foreign Ministry spokesman said that Beijing ap-proved of a proposal by the six-member Association of Southeast Asian Nations for indirect talks between the Kinner Rouge and its resistance partners on one side, and the Vietnamese and the Heng Sam-tin regime they support in Phnom Penh on the other.

Vietnam quickly rejected the proposals, which the Chinese okesman said indicated its lack of willingness to find a political

The diplomatic shifts began Monday when the Khmer Rouge radio, monitored in Bangkok, said the group would accept any elected Cambodian government, once

accept Prince Sihanouk as the future president of Cambodia. The group also said that Heng Samrin would be welcomed in Cambodia Khmer Rouge in the early 1970s after the Vietnamese withdrew.

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ed from A to Z" the moderate policies that had been agreed on.

Prince Sihanouk said.

son who could prevent Vietnam from "swallowing Cambodia forever." Pol Pot led the Khmer Rouge government from 1975 until 1979. As many as two million Cambodi-

ans died under the regime's rule.

Beijing emips 50,000 Khmer
Rouge guerrillas; 20,000 other
guerrillas fight for Prince Sihanouk
and Son Sann, leader of the Khmer People's National Liberation Front. The resistance faces at least 160,000 Vietnamese troops,

Prime Minister Prem Tinsulanonds of Thailand said Wednesday that hints of flexibility by the enforced "decisively."

Khmer Rouge might lead to peace "Some people consider these of talks, Reuters reported from Bang-

In one raid just after the new laws came into force, the police discovered three operating stills, he said. In a second raid on the same place a few days later, eight stills

General Zhotich, head of the In-terior Ministry's Public Order De-partment, said the new laws had not given the police more powers. but he added that they would be

get off freely." General Zhorich Their speaking out so loadly on this issue should open a channel for talks," Mr. Prem said.

said. "The police are trying to do everything to ensure that no offender retains such a hope."

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Vietnamese troops withdrew, It said the Khmer Rouge would 7 Computer Owners, All Under 18,

Charged With Fraud in New Jersey New York Times Service conspiring to use their home com-puters to exchange stolen credit-card numbers and information on how to make free long-distance elephone calls and to call coded phone numbers in the Pentagon. ACTUPLLY, JIMMY, MOST OF

The Middlesex County prosecu-tor, Alan A. Rockoff, who annced the charges Tuesday, said the defendants also had codes that would cause communications satellites to "change position," possibly interrupting intercontinental communications and making legitimate

phone calls impossible.

Mr. Rockoff would not provide information about the defendants, whose names were withheld be-cause all were under 18 years old. with juvenile delinquency because puter without authorization.

of their ages but that the underly-SOUTH PLAINFIELD, New ing charge was conspiracy to com-racy — Seven young people have mit theft. He said he would ask that Jersey — Seven young people have mit theft. He said he would ask that been arrested and charged with they be sent to a juvenile shelter if

Richard A. Brayall, a spokesman for the American Telephone and Telegraph Co., which owns and operates major communications satellites, said he did not think the young computer users had such information in their systems.

Detective George T. Green of the South Plainfield police said that through their computers some of the defendants had been able to call Britain, Spain and elsewhere in Europe without being charged for

Mr. Rockoff said the case was the first major prosecution under a recent New Jersey law that made it He said they were being charged a crime to obtain data from a com-

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OK to Scratch your Nose, but just be Careful

by Miriam Kramer Trade News Editor, The Antique Collector

or dance it is New York, for shopping Hong Kong, and for antiques and auctions it is undoubtedly London. The two largest international auctioneers, Christie's and Sotheby's. founded in the 18th century, still maintain their global headquarters here. With the support of smaller firms such as Bonhams and Phillips, and the specialists Spink & Son and Bloomsbury Book Auctions, London remains the undisputed world's saleroom capital.

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the other side of London, John Sotheby, was primarily interested in books. This gentlemanly state of affairs continued until the second

half of this century when Peter Wilson at Sotheby's began to expand the firm on an international scale. Christie's You're just a couple of blocks away from

turnovers of £477 million

(Christie's). Sotheby's in London still organises three major sessions of Impressionist, Modern and Contemporary sales each year, in Spring, at the end of June, and in early December. Property is accepted up to two months before the sale.

(Sotheby's), and £373 million

The auction year traditionally follows a set cycle, with peaks in July and December. The London salerooms schedule their blockbusters for these times, to attract most

On 19 July Christie's will hold a sale of English pictures including a portrait of Joseph Wright of Derby and a pre-viously unknown sketch by Iohn Constable.

At Sotheby's meanwhile, the week commencing 15 July will see English art, antiquities and coins being sold, fol-lowed the next week by Eng-

lish literary books and manuscripts and golfing artefacts. Of American interest in the books and manuscripts on sale are general orders signed by Robert E Lee, and a letter from the American explorer P B Duchaillu

All auctions are open to the public free of charge. It is often said that the best entertainment in London, particularly on a rainy day, is to go to one of the salerooms and just watch. It is untrue that a scratch of the nose means a commitment to a bid of thousands of pounds - a quite definite movement has to be made before the auctioneer recognises a serious bid.

Flying Carpets have Landed

by Moss Murray

simply practical, during the last 500 years have or delightfully dec orative ornaments. They are often works of art. Certainly the finest have been created by artists and craftsmen working from small workshops in the East, Middle East and

turies the world has looked to this country for the finest rugs, carpets and prayer mats. Since the first world war, as well as following the more recent upheavals there, most of the leading Iranian and Armenian experts have fled in large numbers and settled in Britain and the US, bringing with them a wealth of knowledge and experience that has, during the past decade, helped establish London as a world

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carpet centre. Today buyers from stores in a score of countries come to London seeking the most exquisite and costly handmade Persian and other oriental carpets and rugs. These days there are more old oriental

rugs in England than in Persia. A respected and long established oriental rug trader is the Duval Carpet Company, EC2. Their warehouse resembles an Aladdin's cave with a vast range of hand-knotted carpets - all at attractive prices.

There are rugs - old and new - from Persia, Turkey and Afghanistan as well as China, Russia, Rumania and Pakistan, Names like Ispahan, Turkoman, Sinkiang, Qum, Bokhara, Hamadan and Tabriz make a visit to Duvals a stimulating experience. It is a revelation to discover that oriental rugs, unlike their modern brothers and sisters, come in every shape and size from tiny prayer rugs to enormous emperor size carpets. The warehouse is open from 9.30 a.m. to 5 p.m. every day of the week except Saturday, and on Straday from 9.30 a.m.

until 5 p.m. Another well known dealer is Majid Amini who was born in Isafahan and now has galler-

ies in Horsham and Perworth in Sussex. He says:

"Cleanliness is the most important factor in the longterm preservation of any rug."

He also warns against inexperienced buyers swimming in the deep waters of the auction rooms where only the experts know how to avoid the currents and eddies of rings and rigging. Buyers, he says, also need to beware of buying at "hotel auctions" unless they have inspected what is being offered beforehand.

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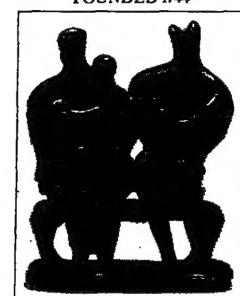
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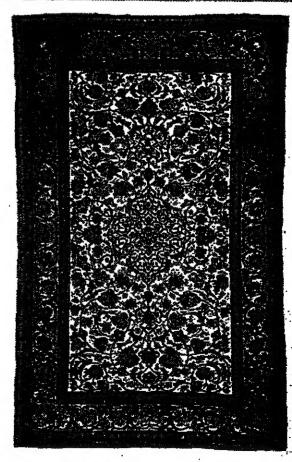


Menry Moore, O.M., C.H., The Family, bronze, height 12.7 cm., 1944 Henry Moore's The Family was one of a rich selection of important works of art offered at Sotheby's major sale of Impressionist and Modern Paintings and Sculpture on 25th June.

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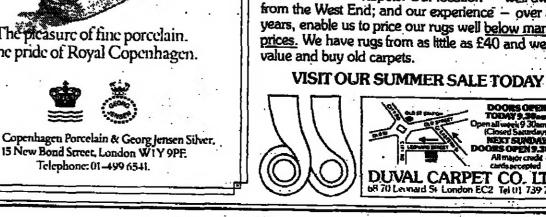




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ex. He says.

No longer a military enclave, Los Alamos is administered for the U.S. Energy Department by the University of California. The barbed wire and checkpoints are gone. There is a local Chamber of Commerce. Some of the large new concrete laboratory buildings are open to the public.

To some visitors, "The Hill," as Los Alamos has been known since it was founded, seems a little too casual in its accommodation to the nuclear age. Said a tourist from Massachusetts: "The folks here behave as if making atom bombs were as natural and wholesome as milk-

Some people have been mildly disturbed by the things on view at the recently renovated Bradbury Science Museum, part of the Los Alamos Laboratory. Tourists can learn how to manipulate bars of simulated plutonium in a laboratory glove box, and how to alloy and at plutonium so that it can be fabricated into bomb parts. By touching computer screens, it is possible to get lessons on selecting the right structural materials for missiles or on designing ICBM

A recent visitor found the feelings of many at Los Alamos in consonance with the words of Mor-ria E. Bradbury, a former director of the laboratory: "The whole ob-ject of making the weapons is not to kill people but to find time for somebody to find other ways to solve these problems."

Sound-Linked System Probes Fruit for Larvae New York Times Service

WASHINGTON - Scientists have developed a system that can detect Caribbean fruit fly larvae in grapefruit, loquat, guava and papa-ya without damaging the fruit, the have disclosed that no one knew for

Agriculture Department says.
The system amplifies and broadcasts the noises made by the chewing larvae. Dr. J. C. Webb, the eneer who devised the system, said it was so sensitive that in a few seconds it could detect a single dayold maggot in a grapefruit.

On June 27, two unles (three kilometers) from Trinity Site, the Deother spectators at the Trinity test fense Nuclear Agency fired a gilometers of that if the atmosphere did ignite, gantic confidence and application that simulated some of the effects of a farther than 35 miles, devastating tactical nuclear weapon. Experts only New Mexico. Dr. Bethe, howbelieve it was the most powerful ever, had calculated that such a non-nuclear explosion ever set off chain reaction would not happen. intentionally. But New Mexico res- Dr. Oppenheimer accepted his asidents took it in stride.

banned from Los Alamos), and gm Muerto, a desolate stretch of desert stores are ubiquitous. "I can't think whose name may be translated as of a better state to have the White Deadman's Route or Journey of Sands Missile Range," said a filling Death. When the time came on station attendant in Carrizozo, a Friday the 13th to assemble the town in the lava fields of the Valley parts, the philonium had beated up

Last month, the laboratory nicians, engineers, laborers, soldiers, WACs and spouses. About 800 attended, roughly 10 percent of the laboratory's warting account where "the gadget" (as the laboratory's warting account to the laboratory account to the laborato the laboratory's wartime popula-tion. Among them was Barbara cations) was mounted, and there Jean Wilson, now in charge of the was concern about lightning in the Los Alamos science museum. Her area. The test was momentarily dehusband is an accelerator physicist at the laboratory.

"It was fun talking over the old days," she said. "I was 7 years old in 1943 when my father, who had a meat market in Santa Fe, was recruited to work on The Hill. A lot of the scientists complained about life up here in those days; the coal heaters were dangerous and unreliable, the housing was filmsy, and only a privileged few had bathtubs. But for us, things didn't seem bad. I suppose most of the scientists had been used to more luxurious sur-

Mrs. Wilson's daughter Sandy, born and raised at Los Alamos, is married to one of the laboratory's scientists and works at the facility's credit union.

"I suppose you could say our family is a product of the atomic bomb," Mrs. Wilson said. "The bomb certainly modded many families in many different ways.

sure, until the actual test, just how powerful the bomb would be, or powerful the bomb would be, or ments were beyond the control of indeed whether it would work at the small group of scientists who all. There had even been specula-pleaded that their work be used all. There had even been specula-tion that a nuclear bomb would explode with such intensity that a most today's weapons scientist can chain fusion reaction might begin hope for, he concluded, is that "the in the atmosphere, incinerating the voices for peace will prevail."

sessment and authorized the test.

Among them was the owner of a Large, top-secret processing motel in Belen, 70 miles (113 kilo-plants at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, meters) from the site. "Worried and at Hanford, Washington, proabout damage to the motel?" she duced enough uranium 235 and said. "Hell, no. It's nice to know plutonium fuel to procede with the they're doing another big shot, and Trinity test and the bombing of I just hope we'll be able to see it Japan. On July 11, 1945, the plutonium parts were loaded into a so-Fireworks are popular through- dan and driven 200 miles south to out New Mexico (although they are Trimity Site in the Jornada del of Fires, about 30 miles from Trinand would no longer fit together ity Site. "We kind of like hig bangs with the other components. Only around here, provided they don't do no harm."

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> area. The test was momentarily de-layed. But before dawn the weather cleared. At 5:29:45 A.M. Mountain War Time on July 16, 1945, the bomb went off.

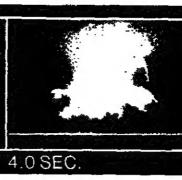
> There are fewer people each year who can remember Dr. Oppenheimer, a tall, intense chain smoker, rarely without his pork-pie hat, always ready to quote some bit of esoterica, sometimes from the Sanskrit classics. His memory is preserved in a white statue at Los Alamos. The work of the war years is symbolized by a chunk of green-ish rock in the local museum: trinitite, the glassy mineral created by

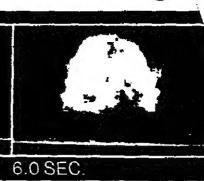
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> Dr. Oppenheimer and some of his Manhattan Project colleagues dreamed of a world in which the scientists who created the atomic bomb would lead the way toward climinating all forms of war. Dr. Kerr, who is to step down as director of the laboratory in October,

> does not share that hope.
> "At the end of World War H," Dr. Kerr recently wrote, "those at Los Alamos learned with the rest of the world that technical developsolely for peaceful purposes." The









The birth of the atomic bomb, a sequence of photos in the first nuclear explosion in the desert in New Mexico on July 16, 1945.

New Nuclear Weapons Research Proceeding at Furious Pace

By William J. Broad New York Times Service

HE creative urge that shook The creative unge that the Earth 40 years ago with the detonation of the first atom bomb

is undergoing a renaissance. Scientists and federal officials say new kinds of nuclear arms are sing imagined, developed and ex-loded at a furious pace.

Recent progeny of the bomb re-flect an evolution away from the brute force of a huge explosion to-ward ways of harnesting that exsion for specific tasks. There are the X-ray lasers in which a nuclear explosion is the power source for the creation of deadly beams of radiation. There are the much less talked-about, more exotic designs for anti-matter weapons and brain bombs, whose objective is the propagation of widespread confusion

The design of nuclear weapons is a secretive business. Nonetheless, a review of public documents and interviews with government scientists, federal officials and weapon experts outside the government re-veal several distinct types of weap-ons that have been tested or proposed in the nuclear era.

 All atom bombs, known as fission weapons, split beavy atoms to liberate nuclear energy. The first atom bomb was detonated 40 years ago Tuesday, before dawn on July 16, 1945, in the darkness of the central New Mexico desert. The bombs dropped on Hiroshima and Nagasaki were atom bombs, the former fueled by uranium, the lat-

rives its energy by fusing together isotopes of hydrogen to release more of the energy stored in the nucleus of the atom. (Fission splits an atom's nucleus into fragments; fusion forces nuclei together.) The first H-bomb test was in 1952.

bombs with enhanced radioactive fallout, known as residual radiation. All it took was wrapping an H-bomb with cobalt, a steel-gray metal that is easily turned into its radioactive isotope, cobalt 60, when exposed to H-bomb radiations. It is not known whether cobalt bombs were ever made or stocked by any nation.

 A special type of H-bomb that did go into production is the neu-tron bomb, which emits enhanced prompt (not residual) radiation. In normal fission reactions, blast and heat make up the vast majority of the energy released, while prompt, destructive radiation (such as that from neutrons) accounts for only 5 percent of the total. A neutron bomb can release six to ten times as much neutron radiation as a pure lission weapon of the same yield, Neutron bombs are meant to kill

tank crews by lethal irradiation. • In the late 1960s and early 1970s special nuclear warheads were developed that generated en-hanced radiation in the X-ray portion of the electromagnetic spectrum. The goal was to knock out distant enemy warheads. Enhanced X-ray warheads were fitted atop interceptors of the \$5.7-billion Safeguard anti-ballistic missile sys-tem, which was built at the north-

ern edge of North Dakota and In the 1970s, weapon scientists at the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory in California, the second of the nation's two nuclear The next major step in the evo-hution of the U.S. nuclear arsenal tactical warhead that "dramatically reduces fallout," according to a laboratories, developed the re-

laboratory brochure. Not all steps in the evolution of nuclear weaponry involve fundamental changes in materials and methods. Most involve refinerst H-bomb test was in 1952. the Livermore publication "Energy of In the 1950s, designers of nu-

power of a nuclear explosion into laser rods that emit powerful bursts of concentrated radiation before the whole device is consumed by its

· Less developed than X-ray lasers are third-generation weapons meant to create an enhanced electromagnetic pulse, or EMP. This powerful surge of electromagne-tism can knock out computers and delicate electronics. It is produced by any nuclear weapon exploded above the Earth's atmosphere, its pulse blanketing the area below.

Similar to EMP bombs, microwave weapons concentrate nuclear energy into a narrower band of frequencies of the electromagnetic spectrum in order to try to knock out enemy missiles, according to government weapon experts.

· In contrast to weapons that enhance or suppress different parts of the electromagnetic spectrum and thus manipulate energy, particle beam weapons focus on matter, trying to accelerate subatomic particles to nearly the speed of light.

· A futuristic device said by scientists to be the focus of intense interwavelength shorter than that of the X-ray lasers, and would thus be more powerful.

• In the fission and fusion reactions of nuclear weapons, only a ments. For instance, according to tiny fraction of matter is turned into energy, from which the weapons nonetheless get their spectacu-

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• Dr. John Nuckolls, head of bombs and H-bombs are a new physics at the Livermore laboratory such as the latter ones, it is unclear whether proposition. generation of nuclear weapons that ry, says humans suffer confusion ones, it is unclear whether proposions, rather than letting the force escape in all directions. The presentation of the presentation when subjected als have gone beyond the speculation of the point of being great strength; thus, he said, physically descended and actually detonated mier third-generation device is the cists might one day find a way to at the government's underground X-ray laser, which channels the direct and concentrate the power test site in Nevada.

IN BRIEF

Snakes Called Female Impersonators AUSTIN, Texas (WP) - Some male garter snakes impersonate females so as to distract amorous rivals, two University of Texas zoologists have found. They said the ploy — which is known as female mimiery and has been noted in other species, mainly fish — was probably a way of

gaining better access to females. At garter-snake mating time, one female may draw from 10 to 100 males into a writhing tangle of snakes. No matter how big the mating ball,

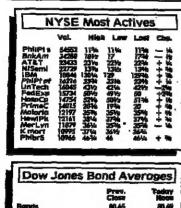
as it is called, only one male succeeds,
The Texas zoologists, Robert T. Mason and David Crews, discovered that 14 percent of garter-snake mating balls contained no female but instead one male that was producing the female pheromone, a substance that draws males. They found that when these males, which they dubbed "she-males," joined established mating balls, they distracted ordinary males and thus perhaps had a better chance of mating with the real

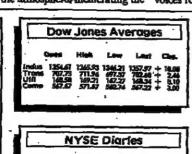
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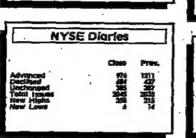
BUFFALO, New York (NYT) - The full moon has been held since scient times to be a cause of lunary and an incitement to lunation behavior, as recently as 1978, a Miami psychiatrist, Arnold Lieber, asserted in his book "The Lunar Effect" that scientific evidence support ed such a notion.

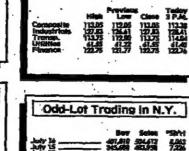
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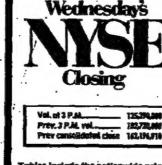
Lieber contended that moon-linked "biological tides" influenced emotions. If this were so, the most marked effects would be observed when the moon's tidal pull was reinforced by the sun's, but even then there is no correlation with the assault rate, Sanduleak writes in The Skeptical Inquirer, a journal on paranormal phenomena. He did confirm, he said, that homicidal assaults were much more likely on weekends and slightly more likely during July and August.

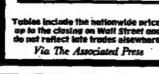


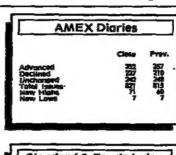


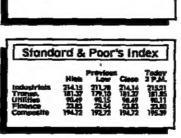


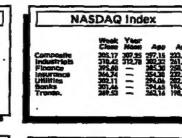


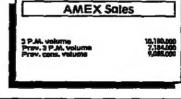


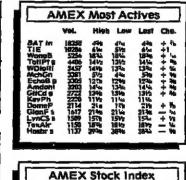












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United Press International
NEW YORK — The stock market was sharply ahead in active trading late Wednesday as investors bet that the Federal Reserve would allow interest rates to decline to counter weak-

mess in the U.S. economy.
The Dow Jones industrial average climbed
9.30 to 1,357.19 an hour before the close.
Advancing issues outnumbered declines by a
3-to-2 ratio. Volume amounted to about 137

Although prices in tables on these pages are from the 4 P.M. close in New York, for time reasons, this article is based on the market at 3 P.M.

million shares, compared with 102.7 million in the same period Tuesday.

Prices were higher in very active trading of American Stock Exchange issues.

Analysis said the market drew strength from expectations that the Federal Reserve will allow

a fall in interest rates to stimulate the economy.

But several market strategists warned against excessive optimism.

"We've had a strong stock market but there

are so many smiles on the faces of market participants that I'm getting very nervous," said Alfred Goldman of A.G. Edwards in St. Louis. "Aggressive investors should start taking a much more cautious stance," Mr. Goldman said. "People are not thinking about the down-side risk and that is characteristic of a market that is reaching a short-term top," he said.

He called economic conditions uncertain and the market over-bought. "The market is obviously betting that Federal

Reserve Chairman Paul Volcker will allow in-terest rates to fall enough to stimulate the econ-omy," said Jack Sullivan of Van Kasper & Co. "I don't want to put the pin in the balloon but people are betting the ranch and everything around the corner and it could start to unravel,"

"looms very significantly on the horizon and is being ignored in the current euphoria."

Before the market opened, the Commerce Department reported that U.S. personal income rose 0.5 percent in June while housing starts climbed 1.9 percent.

Phillips Petroleum was near the top of the active list and off slightly.

BM was gaining and most other technology stocks added to Tuesday's sharp advances. Control Data was off modestly after reporting sharply lower second-quarter earnings but Motorola, Cray Research, Texas Instruments, Digital Equipment, Advanced Micro Devices and NCR Corp. were all higher. National Semiconductor was ahead modest-

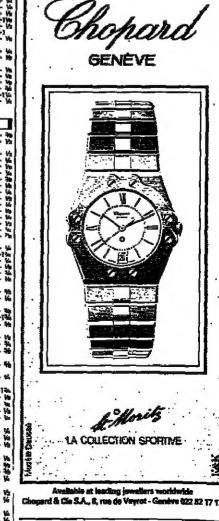
AMR Corp., the parent of American Airlines, and UAL Inc., the parent of United Airlines were modestly lower.

Bankamerica Corp. was easier after it report-ed an expected loss for the second quarter. AT&T was ahead. Federal Express Corp. was advancing.

United Technologies was lower. B.F. Goodrich was lower after reporting losses for the second quarter and for the first six

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Debt Load **Troubles** Koreans, **Not Banks**

By Paul Ensor

SEOUL -South Korea is Asia's biggest borrower and the world's fourth largest, after Brazil, Mexico and Argentina, but unlike the Latin

■ Economic miracle suffers a brush with reality. Page 10.

Americans, it has not lost the confidence of its creditors. With borrowing down in Asia as a whole, foreign banks are jostling each other to squeeze into syndicated loans to

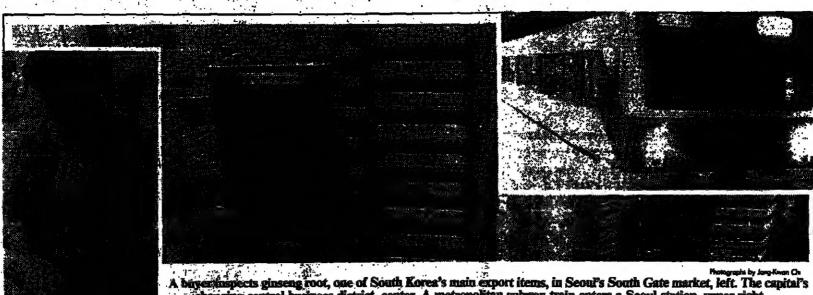
major South Korean borrowers.

Loans to South Korea offer a relatively high return, and foreign bankers, along with their counterparts in organizations such as the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund, are pleased with the way the country's economy is being managed. The main criticism of the heavy debt burden has come from within, from opposition politicians and the press.

According to government fig-ures, South Korea's total outstand-ing debts stood at \$43.1 billion at the end of last year, a net increase of \$3 billion over 1983. Due to a larger-than-expected trade deficit, borrowings were around \$400 million more than planned.

Projections announced by Finance Minister Kim Mahn Je at the beginning of this year state that total debts will not be allowed to rise by more than \$2 billion, to \$45.1 billion, by the end of 1985. But once again, due to over-optimistic projections regarding the balance of payments, the actual fig-ure will probably be higher. Re-cently released figures show that external debts rose to \$44.3 billion

as of the end of April. What makes South Korea so different from the big Latin American borrowers? As one American bank-(Continued on Next Page)



ng central business district, center. A metropolitan subway train enters a Seoul station, upper right.

By Lawrence B. Kranse

WASHINGTON — South Korea's miracidous economic growth is propelling it along the path of industrial cauch up twice as fast as Japan, the world's previous record holder in the event. This has been made possible by a government strategy adopted in the early 1960s of orienting the economy outward toward world markets.

Thus, South Korea has become closely linked to and dependent upon the world economy, particularly the United States, with Japan in second place. South Korein products have made major inroads into the U.S. market, often replac-ing products imported from Japan. However, some of that success has been at the expense of U.S. domestic producers and has led to trade tensions with South Korea, which have risen along with the recent escalation of protectionist pressures in the United States.

South Korea's total exports grew at an animal rate of 13.7 percent per year from 1980 to 1984, but its exports to the United States grew 22.7 percent annually during this period. Hence, South Korea's dependence on the U.S. market rose from 26.4 percent to 36.8 percent. Since South Korea's merchandise exports now amounts to 35 percent of its gross, national product, it is clear how important this trade is.

On the other hand, American exports to South Korea have only been expanding by 6.3 percent annually during the last four years, but this contrasts sharply with the overall stageation of U.S exports. Thus, the share of U.S. exports going to South Korea rose from 2.1 percent in 1980 to 2.7 percent in 1984. Nevertheless, the United States suffered a bilateral trade deficit of \$4.2 billion with South Korea in 1984. South Korean shoes and textiles have long had an eager market in the United States, ranking second and third, respectively, among foreign suppliers. However, in recent

years. South Korean consumer electronic products have increasingly penetrated the U.S. market so that the television brand names Samsung and Goldstar are joining Sony and Sharp in American homes.

Export Boom Multiplies Trade Conflicts With U.S.

This year, South Korean-made video tape recorders have begin to fight the Japanese for the lucrative American market and next year, South Korean cars are scheduled to be introduced. Meanwhile, the United States continues to sell a range of goods in South Korea, from commodities such as cotton, corn and wheat to high-tech equipment such as

Most of U.S.-South Korean trade is based on strict comparative advantage, with South Korea selling mainly labor-intensive products to the United States and obtaining natu-ral-resource and technology-intensive products in return. This reflects the strong complementarity that exists between the two economies and is further reflected in that many American firms such as General Motors, AT&T and Monsanto have made direct investments in South Korea and all four of the big South Korean conglomerates, Hyundai, Samsung, Lucky Goldstar and Daewoo, have made investments in the United States.

Nevertheless, with the increase in direct competition be-tween South Korean and American firms, the opportunities for trade conflict have multiplied. Japan has taken most of the heat of U.S. trade complaints because of its relatively closed market. However, South Korea has been accused of being a second Japan and is worried that it will be tarred with the same brush. South Koreans respond that they are more like a second United States than a second Japan, in that they have a trade deficit, and are prevented from penetrating the Japanese market to any great extent. Nevertheless, with the increase in direct competition bepenetrating the Japanese market to any great extent.

South Koreans have become more nervous over rising U.S. protectionism during the last two years. They watched

the debate on the generalized system of preferences (GSP) in 1984 and were relieved when the extension was enacted and they were finally included. In steel, they were not so lucky and were forced to sharply curtail their exports by the low quota assigned to them. Furthermore, several South Korean firms have run afoul of U.S trade laws. South Korean television sets were assessed anti-dumping duties in 1984 and, as a result of a dumping complaint still in process, a similar fate may befall producers of oil rigs.

Furthermore, the American shoe industry has been sus-tained by the International Trade Commission in its claim of import injury. If Washington decides to grant some protective rebef, South Korean suppliers are sure to suffer. However, the most serious threat relates to textiles and clothing, where protectionist forces have been lining up congressional support for new restrictive action. They are reported to have 52 co-sponsors in the Senate and 285 in the House of Representatives for the proposed legislation, which would be particularly restrictive on the top five suppliers to the United States, including South Korea.

On their side, Americans have many complaints about access to the South Korean market despite some steps by South Korea toward liberalization. Important American products such as cigarettes and microcomputers cannot be sold in South Korea and other products such as cosmetics that have ostensibly been liberalized have had their tariffs raised. Moreover, American service products such as motion pictures have been restricted and banking and insurance firms have been hampered. Americans are particularly worried by the inadequate protection of intellectual property rights in South Korea.

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Chun's Agenda **For Transition Poses Challenge**

By Dinah Lee

SEOUL - Few national leaders have set as exacting an agenda for their administration as President

Seoul's changing foreign policy priorities. Page 11.

the end of his second term in office since his accession to the Blue House five years ago, the former military leader has given the year 1988 a special significance.

That is the year South Korea will host the rest of the world at the Seoul Olympic Games. That is the year by which he expects the economy to have achieved significant liberalization to allow foreign investment and imports. Most important, that is the year of decision for a new era in South Korean politics: There will either be another gov-ernment with its roots in Mr. Chun's military establishment or a restoration of the completely civilian leadership South Koreans appear to want.

Their preference was most clearly reflected in the unexpected en-dorsement they gave civilian candidates challenging Mr. Chun in the indirect election for National As-semblymen held on Feb. 12. The election setback for Mr. Chun might well have been a total defeat had opposition votes not been split among various factions.

The newly formed majority op-position group, the New Korea Democratic Party (NKDP), won 67 out of a total of 276 seats in the voting by 5,000 delegates. The rul-

ing Democratic Justice Party (DJP) won 87 seats and thereby earned bonus of another 61 seats awarded to the winning party un-der the rules of the constitution. Chun Doo Hwan of South Korea.

Promising that he will step down at cluding the leading minority opposition group, the Korean National Party, thrown their support in the direction of the NKDP, civilian re-The return of Kim Dae Jung, the direction of the NKDT, cryman opposition politician. Page 10. formists, supported by the banned opposition leaders, Kim Dae Jung opposition leaders, Kim Dae Jung Voung Sam, might now and Kim Young Sam, might now be in the Blue House. As it happened, Mr. Chun's DJP

remains in power with 35 percent of the mandate, an uneasy perch from which to oversee South Korea's democratization program or to take the international spotlight as host to the Asian Games in 1986

and Olympics in 1988. Mr. Chun's response to the challenge of his opponents, both before and after the elections, has been worth watching in a region where the rapidly industrialized countries are often lumped together as if their enviable economic growth obscured their differing political circumstances.

Comparisons can be edifying. While Hong Kong struggles to elicit any public interest in its first indirect elections to the legislature. South Korea's February ballot brought 84 percent of the voters to the polls. Unlike the Filipino dissi-dent, Benigno S. Aquino Jr., who was assassinated as he returned from exile in the United States, Kim Dae Jung returned safely from two years of political exile at Harvard. He now campaigns under certain restrictions.

Moreover, both of South Korea's leading opposition challengers to Mr. Chun strongly support the con-tinuation of a U.S. military presence to aid the defense of the Republic of Korea against its

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Debt Load Troubles Koreans, **Not Banks**

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er in Seoul put it, there are good loans and bad loans, and the Koreans have spent the money more wisely and never let a repayment date go by. The heavily exportoriented nature of the economy has meant a regular flow of foreign exchange with which to service

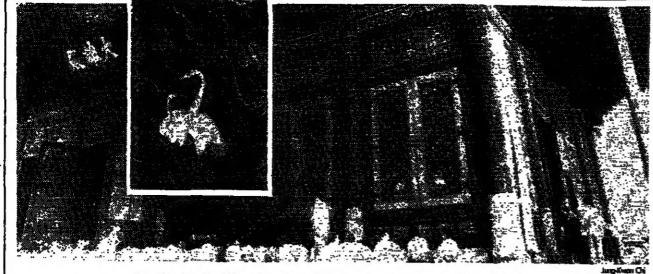
South Korea's debt-service ratio, which measures the share of export earnings devoted to maintaining loan repayments and interest, is running at just under 20 percent, high by international standards but a fraction of the levels in the big three Latin American borrowers.

The technocrats in charge of economic policies in Seoul have gained the respect of the international financial community in their strict practice of monetary and fiscal austerity to reduce inflation and improve the country's international competitiveness. Inflation, which was rampant through the 1970s, has been brought under control. Although the economy still seems to be walking a tightrope with very little margin for error, it has not lost its credibility among lenders.

Export slumps in heavily indebted industries, such as shipbuilding, shipping and overseas construction, have been the source of a great deal of strain in recent years.

The first half of 1985 has been good for South Korean borrowers. South Korean demand for loans has remained roughly constant, while several Southeast Asian countries have cut back on new loans. U.S. interest rates have fallen, and Japanese banks, which have become increasingly active in the region as a whole, have shed their reluctance regarding loans to

Foreign debt is the source of lively political debate in South Korea. Politicians from the main opposi-tion party, the New Korea Democratic Party, regularly criticize the government for amassing such huge levels of borrowing, which has snowballed since President Chun Doo Hwan took power in 1980. They have touched a sensitive nerve - one of the most common what they think of the debt prob-



The Chokye Buddhist Temple in Seoul. Inset: Detail of a temple shutter.

Economic Miracle Brushes With Reality

By Young Chul Park

SEOUL - Exceptional and remarkable are the two adjectives of-ten used to describe the performance of the South Korean economy during the years 1983 to 1984. Economic indicators seem to justify the effusiveness of the

After two years of moderate growth, the economy swung sharply upward and recorded a gross national product growth rate of 9.5 percent in 1983, one of the highest in the world. This upturn was followed by a 7.6-percent growth in 1984. While the economy was growing at a faster pace than before, wholesale prices remained vir-tually unchanged and the current-account balance of payments registered a smaller deficit both in ibsolute terms and as a fraction of

The economic upswing in 1983 was sparked by a substantial increase in both private consumption and private construction and was sustained by a strong pickup in export earnings in the second half of that year. Due largely to the recovery of the U.S. economy, which provides the largest export market for South Korea, and the overvalued dollar, South Korea's commodity exports on a balanceof-payments basis grew 11 percent, to reach \$23.2 billion in 1983.

Commodity imports, on the other hand, rose by less than 6 percent. As a result, the current account showed a sharp decline in deficit to \$1.6 billion from \$2.6 billion a year

The rapid expansion of exports, mostly heavy industrial and chemimostly heavy industrial and chemi-ioyed such a long period of stable cal products such as electrical and prices, with or without rapid electronic machinery and ships, growth.

pared to the corresponding period close to 16 percent per year. The of 1983. Toward the latter part of recent decline in the price of oil and the year, however, the economy beexport growth faltered and domestic demand also weakened.

Both fixed investment in plant and equipment and private consumption showed low growth, with home construction registering an absolute decline. The slowdown in domestic demand reflected, in part, restrictive monetary and fiscal policies. The marked upturn in the first half was, therefore, partly offset by the cooling off in the latter half, to result in a 7.6-percent growth for

exports, which amounted to a 13.5ercent increase over the 1983 figure, outstripped the growth of im-ports (less than 10 percent), to produce a substantial improvement in the trade account. This gain was, however, mostly canceled out by a large increase in the service trade deficit so that the current account with a deficit of \$4 billion in 1984.

The single most remarkable achievement of the South Korean economy in recent years has un-doubtedly been sustained price stability. Over a three-year period, from 1982 to 1984, wholesale prices on a year-end basis rose by 5.6 percent and consumer prices, by 13.4 percent. This development was in a sharp contrast to South Korea's long history of inflation. Indeed, the country has never en-

couraged investment

exchange-rate competitiveness in

European markets has been under-

mined by movements of the U.S.

continued into 1984 and contributed to a 10.6-percent GNP growth in the first half of the year as comlesale prices was on average Moreover, reflecting the slow growth of the advanced economies, recent decline in the price of oil and other imported raw materials and a

the world trading environment is gan to slow down considerably as slowdown in wage increases have expected to deteriorate further. To make matters worse, these adverse played a major role in restraining price increases. However, consisexternal developments have been compounded by some of the structent stabilization efforts, including prudent monetary and fiscal politural inefficiences of South Korea's cies designed to moderate wage and price increases at home, have export industries. South Korea has concentrated on exporting a relatively limited number of diversified products in helped the economy capitalize on

the favorable external developsmall amounts. This strategy has made its exports highly visible and In the first six months of this hence an easy target for protection-ist action abroad. The lack of prodyear, the growth of both exports uct diversity has reduced South tinued to be sluggish. On a cus-Korean exporters' ability to meet toms-clearance basis, merchandise exports actually fell 4 percent durthe demand for a greater variety and smaller quantity of products, and thus made it difficult to endure ing the period as compared with the same period a year ago. Business the recessionary period. investment in plant and equip-ment, which in the fourth quarter of 1984 fell below the level of the The marked slowdown in the expansion of export and domestic dequarter a year earlier, has rebound-

mand has certainly clouded the growth prospects of South Korea this year. In the first quarter of ed somewhat in recent months, but is expected to fall short of the tar-1985, the economy grew by 4.1 per-cent, well below the target level, The slowing of the overall doand the second-quarter perfor-mance is not likely to be any better. Concerned with this low growth, mestic economy, the poor export prospects and the uncertainties surrounding the future direction of credit policy and government efthe authorities have moved cautiously to promote exports and to forts to restructure industries and revive investment demand. They have made more bank loans availto reduce the concentration of ecoable to exporters for capital investment and augmented short-term export credit facilities. They have The economies of the United States and Japan, which absorb the bulk of South Korean exports, are not likely to grow as rapidly as they did last year. Also, South Korea's also devalued continuously to pro-

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rate over the last three months.

Opposition Leaders Hurry to Catch Up On Their Lost Time

Dae Jung, the opposition politi-cian, to South Korea after two Five n years at Harvard University drew as much international publicity, if

Comparisons between Kim Dae nila on his return from political exile at Harvard, were inevitable. But the differences between the two cases are greater than their similarity. Although there were In June, they pressed the govern-fears that Kim Dae Jung would be ment for a dialogue with their co-arrested on his arrival, he was instead banned from political activity and remains subject to a suspended leaders warned of increas sentence of 20 years in prison after sion and impatience, which could being convicted of sedition by a create an "unhappy situation" by military court. (He was released 1982 and then went to the United

return just before February's national elections cannot be overestimated, although almost as soon as he landed, he was fielding criticism that he was a political has-been whose public influence had peaked. His fellow opposition leader, Kim Young Sam, who had been sporadically subjected to house arrest, was prevented by security officers from leaving his home to go to a dinner for the renuned exile.

The official election campa period was a limited one, which worked against the opposition can-didates. Spokesmen for the New Korea Democratic Party (NKDP), the main opposition group, claim that the government-controlled central election commission ham-pered their efforts to set up a headwarters and solicit donations.

Despite this, the excellent showing of the new coalition of opposition forces underlined the wisdom of the two Kims in burying their political rivalry, a rivalry which ruined their chances for power in the days after the assassination of President Park Chung Hee in 1979 duce a 4-percent depreciation of and before the military coup by the the trade-weighted real exchange current president, Chun Doo current president, Chun Doo

"Frankly, given the circum-stances, we feel we won these elections, said Jeymoon Chung, a se- are growing impatient.

SEOUL - The return of Kim nior member of the NKDP.

Five months after the election, both Kims are still prohibited from belonging to a party, but they give not more, as last year's historic visit the impression of middle-aged men by a South Korean leader to Japan anxious to catch up on lost years, or the start this year of serious talks packing each day with private between North and South Korea meetings, media interviews and oron economic contacts and family ganizational appearances. Despite eir allegiance to rival provinces. their differing educational back-Jung and Benigno S. Aquino Jr., grounds and the generally held assassinated in August 1983 in Maview that Kim Dae Jung is closer to mile on his return from political unions and students, while Kim Young Sam is more moderate, their mutual policies could be labeled

ratization. Both the opposition next spring the traditional season from jail, for medical reasons, in for political unrest, should the leadership fail to arrive at a liberalization program. The ruling party's response was to condemn the two Kims' "personally contrived democracy" as "a public enemy impeding the development of real de-

omes in June, both Kim Dae Jung and Kim Young Sam denied they were setting out to foment unrest saying that they were merely fore-casting the probable public response to any delays in the democatization process promised by Mr.

Kim Young Sam said, "Our re-quest was based on the idea of asking for a timetable for rewriting the constitution within one year from the February elections, that is, by March. I also mentioned the need to have a more detailed discussion with the ruling party by autumn, referring to the September start of the regular session of the National Assembly. A student or labor uprising or a military coup d'etat could occur sometime next year if the raling party is not willing to revise the constitution, and the next president must be accepted achieve fuller democracy for able to the military," he said. South Korea. Such an uprising would be a tragedy for the whole

Kim Dae Jung maintains that activist student forces look to the was corrupt and that Kim Young opposition coalition for fulfillment Sam was acceptable. But they never of a democratization program, but gave Kim [Young Sam] a chance



Kim Young Sam



Kim Dae Jung

Kim Dae Jung also claims to have the backing of important businessmen who are dissatisfied with Mr. Chun's policies, and even support from some corners of the military as well.

European diplomats hold that U.S. officials in South Korea worry that Kim Dae Jung might not be acceptable to the country's military establishment, and that Kim Young Sam, or the NKDP's president, Lee Min Woo, would be compromise choices once Mr. Chun steps down.

Kim Dae Jung disagrees. "We must overcome this insistence that the next president must be accept-1980, the Korean military said the same thing, that I was pro-Com-munist, the Kim Jong Pil [former prime minister under Mr. Parki

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Chun Transition Agenda Poses Challenge

Communist neighbor to the north, the Democratic People's Republic

Although one of Asia's four "economic dragons," along with Singapore, Taiwan and Hong Kong, South Korea must be exam-ined in its own unique context.

cently, delegates of the newly formed Asia Watch Group, a coun-terpart to the Americas Watch and Helsinki Watch groups, reported

methods of repression among labor unions and student groups have ceased," said one delegate, who stressed that the improvements

Most dramatically, Mr. Chun restored civil rights to politicans, ac-tivist professionals and religious workers who had been banned from political activity. Between December 1983 and last March, dropped from government black-lists, although Kim Dae Jung's sus-pended sentence for sedition still ficially in politics.

der the NDKP party president, Lee

defensive, must now respond to a simple platform of proposals from opposition challengers: a return to direct elections for the presidency

The calls for reform are boosted by more frequent incidents of ao-tivism by students and labor come to include more concrete so-unions. The student occupation in cial reforms. May of the U.S. Information Service building in Seoul proved a sucgovernment and the U.S. military five years ago during the anti-government Kwangju insurrection, which left many dead. The students subsequently withdrew from the U.S. building after Kim Dae Jung and Kim Young Sam urged them to men have gained confidence as a valid left many dead. The students creatly of the election results. This contrasts markedly with the docile performance during Mr. Chmis's first term of the token opposition party, the moderate Democratic Korea Party.

The ruling party, clearly on the defensive must now respond to a Students have traditionally sense.

Students have traditionally conscience" of the nation, said one labor affairs in South Korea. Since and civil autonomy for local dis-tnets, the right to free speech and a has turned them into self-styled free press, and the end to entangled representatives of democratic Kong and Singapore.

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enjoyed before President Park student ranks has been diluted and the range of their interests has broaden. Their links with labor

Apart from the question of student influence, labor disputes are cessful strategy for focusing attention on the rise. In the biggest strike during Mr. Chun's administration to date, more than 2,000 Daewoo

> moderate: no security men were sent into the factories, as has hap-Korea's per capita income is still

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Shift in Diplomacy Broadens Seoul's View of the World

SEOUL — South Koreans have Korea's unexpected appeal for a been accused in the past of a sort of three-party peace conference, diplomatic myopia, regarding the among Pyongyang, Scoul and foreign affairs of China, Japan, the United States and the Soviet North Korea had indicated willing Union, almost entirely in terms of ness to deal directly with the South Seoul's own most immediate con-cern, its Communist neighbor and In May 1984, the Chinese Comcold war rival of 30 years, North

and enemies, requiring new and more flexible responses from Seoul.

Just as the 1964 Olympic Games. in Tokyo belped Japan move to the forefront of developing Asian countries, the 1988 Olympics may pyongyang it was stepping up its signal, along with Mr. Chun's unofficial contacts with Scoul,

South Korea.

In a sense, the Asian Games, to be held in Seoul in 1986, are a dress rehearsal for the Olympics, politically as well as logistically. South Korea would like to field a team to the two old enemies was the two old enemies was the two old enemies was the two old enemies. ointly with North Koreans, but for the North, this would imply de fac-to recognition of the Chin govern-ment and the legitimacy of South Korca as a nation.

Nevertheless, the idea is not quite as preposterous now, given the diplomatic progress of 1985, as it would have been in 1983. That was a traumatic year for South Ko-rea diplomatically, with the down-ing of a Korean Airlines plane in Soviet airspace and the assassination bombing of 17 leading South Korean government leaders in Rangoon within weeks of each other. Time and the efforts of other countries have helped to heal those

wounds to a noticeable extent. Prime movers for change in the tautly balanced tension between tattry balanced tension between the Chinese, who took the opportunity of the May 1983 hijacking of a Chinese civil airliner to South Korea to open unofficial contacts with Scoul, thereby signaling to its long.

South Korea and China, Mr. time ally, North Korea, that the Chun's historic visit to Tokyo in world, or at least China, was ready for improved relations on the pen-

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munist Party general secretary, Hu Yaobang, spent a total of 13 hours However, two elements may be in private conversation with the helping Seoul to broaden its diplo- North Korean leader, Kim II Sung matic vision. One is the importance in Pyongyang and, diplomats beto President Chum: Doo Hwan's lieve, dwelt heavily on the advangovernment of international success in hosting the Olympic Games in 1988. The other is the shift in diplomatic relations between allies advocated that Mr. Kim abanden the military option to reunite the Korean peninsula and initiate seri-

ous talks with Seoul.

promised retirement from office through trade and sports ex-and the planned liberalization of changes. Trade now stands at a the economy, the coming of age for level of about \$800 mallion, and

demonstrated when South Korea returned to China the crew of a Chinese torpedo boat that had drifted into Korean waters after a mutiny. Negotiations for the repatriation of the crew were carried ont in Hong Kong between South Korean consular officers and Hong Kong officials of China's state-run news agency, Xinhua. In the pro-cess, they forged a diplomatic channel that may prove useful for trade and sports links to come. South Korean businessmen are ea-ger to see trade with China grow

South Korean diplomats are only guardedly positive. "This will be a long but inevitable process. We are optimistic," said the first assistant minister for foreign affairs, Han Woo Suk.

Although there are no cold war barriers between South Korea and Japan as have existed between cion between the two countries, nor At the beginning of 1984, it was did it see an end to the unpopular the Chinese premier, Zhao Ziyang, Japanese policy of lingerprinting who carried to Washington North legal Korean residents of Japan.

Seoul Prepares for Olympic Games With Hard Work, English Lessons

By Laxmi Nakami

SEOUL — In a sprawling residential district in the southeastern part of Seoul, security guards patrol the nearly completed sports complex, the main venue of the 1988 Olympic Games. Nearby, thousands of construction workers labor 24 hours a day to finish the Olympic Park: Across the street, a 36-kilometer (22-mile) expressway to Kimpo International Airport is being built parallel to the Han River, which is also being developed as a pollution-free water sports

Outside the construction sites, a different kind of preparation is course in construction states a uniquent with the population of the government to give privately owned buildings a face lifting. Scoul's small and dirty taxis are being cleaned up and even their notoriously unfriendly drivers, after training sessions sponsored by the city government, are more contenus. They now hang cards in their cabs with essential phrases. like "Where do you want to go?

The construction of the sports complex started in 1977 and by the time that Gympic Games were awarded to the city, the complex already; had two gymnastums, an indoor swimming pool and a baseball park, while the huge stadium was under construction.

The 190,000-seat, \$88-million stadium, completed in September 1984, will serve as the main stadium. A circular subway line transporting 180,000 neonle an hour connects the complex with southern

ing 180,000 people an hour connects the complex with southern, western and northern outskirts of Secul.

western and northern outstarts of Scoul.

According to the organizing committee, most of the 33 competition venues, 84 training sites and ancillary facilities will be in place by next summer, when Scoul hosts the Asian Games; An Olympic Park, consisting of the Olympic Village, press village, velodrome, gymnastics half, indoor swimming pool and tennis courts is under construction. Except for the two villages and the indoor swimming pool, all facilities for the Olympics will be ready by early 1986.

For tourists and spectators, Scoul has 54 international-class hotels offering 12,000 rooms. Before the start of the Olympic Games, 13 hotels will be built.

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In the international arena, South Korean trade anthorities seek to convince their export markets in the United States and elsewhere that they do not deserve the label of a "second Japan" in terms of pro-

tectionism.

Nevertheless, the dialogue between Tokyo and Scoul, promoted by Mr. Chin and Prime Minister Yasuhiro Nakasone, has survived Yasuhiro Nakasone, has survived these frictions and others in the

past year, opening new diplomatic opportunities for Tokyo to play a role in easing tension on the Kore-an peninsula. Mr. Han feels that the Rangoon bombing awakened Japanese sensibilities to the full ex-tent of the tension and "now there is more and more a real sense of community between South Korea and Japan towards the security of

Automotive Industry Goes Into Gear for U.S. Market

SEOUL — South Korea has a dream: to sell passenger cars in the U.S. market. The attitude among government planners, who draft after-sales service in the United businessmen, who seek government is blessing for any major project, is Motors. But Hyundai will interest that "If Japan can do it, we can do its U.S. campaign independently: Exports are crucial for all three of passenger cars. Total

The "can do" spirit has resulted in about \$1 billion in new investments in the auto industry. The goal is to emulate Japan in its suc-cess in auto exports to the United States, where no Korean-made car

are helping South Korea. General Motors augmented its inventments by \$100 million in its 50-50 joint venture with the Daewoo group for a \$427-million assembly line. Start-ing in 1987, GM will import 100,000 mits, or 50 percent of total production of the GM-designed Pontiac front-wheel-drive subcom-pacts. Ford Motor Co. and its Japanese partner, Mazda, are assisting Kia Industrial Co. to build subcompact models for the North American market.

government planners, who draft after-sales service in the United blueprints for South Korea's ex-States. Hyundai Motors, South Ko-port-dependent economy, and rea's oldest and largest automaker, businessmen, who seek government is tied in with Japan's Mitsubishi blessing for any major project, is Motors. But Hyundai will launch

goal is to emulate, Iapan in its success in auto exports to the United States, where no Korean-made car has penetrated the market.

In this drive to sell cars to Americans, U.S. automakers themselves in automakers themselves are basic penetrated by the standard of living in south Korea is improving, a car is he said.

South Korea is improving, a car is he said.

Another recent visitor from the pins expensive insurance premiums. Even those programs to minimum. Even those pro Also, the price of gasoline in South Korea is the highest in the world. Survival of the industry will thus

depend on exports.
In this auto-exports game, Hyundai is playing the biggest stake. Encouraged by its success in Canada, Hyundai wants to penetrate the U.S. market much earlier than South Korea's other subcom-

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Pop Idols, Shamans Share Hermit Kingdom

A SPECIAL REPORT ON SOUTH KOREA

By Kim Kyong Dong

agers flock to the brand new 20,000-scat gymnasium at the site built for the 1988 Olympic Games in Seoul to attend a rock concert by a Western idol on an East Asian tour. The same youths also would fill up an amphitheater to get com-pletely immersed in the saures and tragedies of traditional mask dances or narrative song called

Only a generation ago, a young couple walking down the main street of Seoul hand in hand or a man carrying the baby while his youthful wife window-shopped would have been a "scene" to be of the 100 largest corporations in frowned upon. Nowadays, nobody would pay much attention. Even in rural areas, a couple riding on a farm tractor side by side in an intimate fashion is no strange phenomenon. And yet, television programs occasionally show the exemplary life of large multigeneration fam-ilies faithfully preserving the old Confucian tradition of patriarchal

authority and family harmony.

For snother sample of the juxtaposition of the old and the new in
contemporary Korean culture and
society, a visit or could pay a visit to any university campus on some special occasion, usually the annual Founder's Day festivities or even some political rallies. After a full day's activities filled with a mixed menu of Korean farmers' dances, Alpine folk dances, freestyle native drama shows and disco parties, the climax is reserved for a shaman ritual. Either a real shaman per-forms the gennine religious ritual or a student imitates it.

University students, who usually read a lot of English texts in hi-tech courses or in American psychology, look on the ritual with great enthusiasm and some with dead seriousness. Such ceremonies are frequently staged even in the ultramodern high-rise buildings of large modern corporations in Sexul when a construction project or the

start of a new venture is dedicated.
The history of Korea's cultural encounter with the West is marked by waves of resistance, on the one hand, and almost blind adoption, on the other. After more than a century of acculturation in Korea rising from contact with the West, an American friend of mine, well versed in Korean affairs, once confessed to me his surprise at the extent to which mass media, espeproducers of passenger cars. Total extent to which mass media, espe-production capacity will reach cially TV, ny to keep programs nearly 1 million units by 1988 but originating in the West down to the the small domestic demand of minimum. Even those programs

more than double a car's price the degree to which "healthy," or when it reaches the consumer. positive, nationalism has been what is ord Also, the price of gasoline in South helping the country swim through al sphere. the difficult waters of international The initial contact with the West

was made through Roman Catholic sionaries stationed in China in the 18th century. Catholicism was severely prosecuted, however, be-cause it was considered an alien beresy. In the late 19th century, Korea, the Hermit Kingdom, was once again shocked by the invasion of the "black ships" of Western "barbarians" and ficreely fought back, in vain. It was subsequently forced to open its ports to foreign

The atmosphere then had become more amenable to things Western. Taking advantage of this Change, Protestant missionaries now were able to introduce modern papers, railroads, and modern Western thought, including democ-racy, along with their religion. The impact, however, was still limited in scope and depth.

During Japanese colonial rule (1910-1945), Western culture was brought into Korea piecemeal, cither directly by a handful of intellectuals trained in the United States and Europe or indirectly through Japan. The most direct,

even blunt, exposure to the West came after the end of World War SEOUL - It is not uncommon II, when American troops landed today to see thousands of teen- in the southern part of divided Korea. Three years of devastating war then have drawn American culture, or Americanized Western culture, more closely to the heart of the Korean people.

To illustrate the extent of American influence in South Korea, let me cite some figures. More than a quarter of cabinet ministers, almost two out of ten deputy ministers and close to 10 percent of National Assemblymen who have been in public service since the establishment of the Republic of Korea in 1948 were trained in the United States.

Among the current top managers South Korea, 7.5 percent hold some postgraduate degree from a U.S. university. Almost a quarter of Inculty members of the five most prestigious universities in the country have earned their doctorates in the United States, Of course, among the generation of above 55 or so, the Japanese background still looms large, especially in the case of the political elite and to a lesser extent professors.

At least on the surface, South Korean culture appears to be dominated by Western influence, Popular culture is permeated by the American flavor. Mass culture may often resemble that of Japan, but it still is an "Americanized" Japan that seeps into the Korean soil. All kinds of fads, fashions and attending foibles that reach here quickly thanks to the global network of communications largely are of American origin or influence.

High culture, enjoyed mainly by college students, well-educated saiaried people and middle-class housewives, consists of Western classics of a wider variety in litera-ture, arts, music and philosophy.

In spite of all this, Korean cul-ture hangs on tenaciously, and these days there is an air of renaissance of the old Korea. The generation that spent their youth before the fifties tended to be contemptuous of their own heritage, probably out of shame of having succumbed to colonization and out of the sense of envy felt in the face of the glar-ing culture from the West, with its economic might and technological

Today's youth, however, do not share the same feeling. They are more likely to be selective in their response to Western culture and take more pride in native tradi-tions. With the experience of successful economic growth, which has

what is ordinarily called the cultural sphere. In social norms and underlying values, the interest in re-vival of the old Confucian family spirit is apparent. This may be an adaptive response to the shock of rapid industrialization and accompanying urbanization; which tend to negatively affect the traditional family structure and primary hu-

The idea and practice of individualism and democracy, among other things that have been transplant ed from the West in the history of acculturation, has played its role in transforming social patterns in South Korea. The status and role of women, for instance, has been changing to some extent. Such virtues as respect for authority, disci-pline and frugality, which are said to have been conducive to the vement of rapid economic growth, are gradually beginning to lose their grip, especially among the young

It is in reaction to these changes that traditional collectivist values like filial piety and loyalty to the nation are being revived

The writer is professor of sociology and director of the Institute of Social Sciences, Seoul National University.

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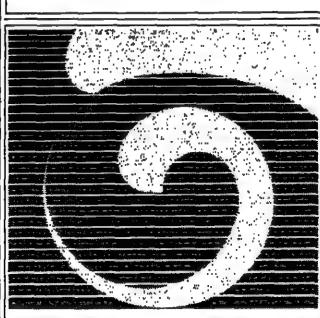
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Profit and Loss Statement

(in million DM)

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The offering of 26% of its stock to the general public in 1984 was one of the most significant events in the history of Berliner Bank. The resulting extensive increase in capital greatly influenced the growth of our business, which rose by 12,9% to almost DM 13 billion. The expansion occurred in both the Interbank and other loan sectors. Our branches in the Federal Republic of Germany and London have assumed an increasingly significant role in this

We are now represented by 83 branches in Berlin, six full branches in the Federal Republic of Germany and a branch in London with recognised

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(Balance Sheet Total plus Endorsement Liabilities)	12.953	11.469	:

This, together with a further reduction of our need to make provisions for contingencies, resulted in a net profit of DM 26,1 million. At the General Shareholders Meeting It will be proposed to apply this net profit to the payment of a dividend of DM 6.- per

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included in our Group Report are, among others, Berliner Bank international S.A. in Luxembourg, Allgemeine Privatkundenbank AG in Hanover, and Braunschweig-Hannoversche Hypothekenbank AG. Total Group Assets amounted to DM 25,3 billion at the end of 1984.

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WALL STREET WATCH

Stocks Still Close to Vest With Stakes Never Higher

By EDWARD ROHRBACH tional Herald Tribus

ARIS - The stock market is a betting man's game. And with all the major averages at record levels in the United States, the stakes have never been higher. But how many gamblers are there on Wall Street who wear green eye shades and like to ante up for stocks only when they are cheap? As Michael Sherman, chief investment strategist at Shearson Lehman/American Express put it: "Show somebody a mink coat for \$400 and they'll look funny at both you and the coat. Ask \$4,000 for it and they'll run their fingers through the fur and start

to get interested."

His point is that, true to form, Wall Street will no doubt become more attractive --- even become a household word again

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market tops that

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Newton Zinder, technical market analyst at E.F. Hut-

ton, who views Wall Street as in gear" microally and promising to go higher, commented that he has never witnessed such lack of investor enthusiasm while the market was at record highs. What has kept

euphoria in check, he said, is the "one, consistent theme this year" of continued reduced earnings estimates for corporations. "Usually it's at market tops that people are saying business is great," he noted. "The pessimism now about the economy is more indicative of market lows. The stock market looks ahead; says

what it thinks will happen six months from now."

Fred Fraenkel, director of equity strategy at Prudential-Bache, described Wall Street's assessment now of the economy as "sluggish; they think we may even be in a recession."

A. Gary Shilling, an economist whose reputation has grown as the business expansion has shrunk, because it has been an event he has long been predicting, remains in that camp. Edward S. Hyman Jr., economist at C.J. Lawrence, also believes the U.S. economy is closer to recession than rebound.

"The last time service-sector employment was strong and nanufacturing employment was weak, as it is today, was in 1974," he pointed out. "Few knew it, but the economy was

Nevertheless, Mr. Hyman noted that the firm's Revisions Index, which monitors which way preliminary economic statistics are later altered, increased in April for the second straight month, if it continues to rise, he said, "it may be an early signal that the economy is starting to reaccelerate."

A CCORDING to Nis Bruun, manager of foreign investments at Hamburg's Vereins-und Westbank AG, "That's what the stock market is telling us now: the U.S. economy will get better. People believe the worst is over and are looking across the valley."

Through the end of July, as unimpressive second quarter earnings are being reported, he had hoped to buy selected stocks cheaper during a market pullback. "I still expect choppiness," he but it's questionable now how much of a buying opportuni-

ty will be presented." Mr. Brunn sees Wall Street advancing into September to the 1,400 to 1,450 level. Then, he thinks, the market will backtrack some as interest rates turn higher toward the end of the year. That forecast makes him "less aggressive" about interest-sensitive issues, but, he said, "I'd still like to ride them out." Favorites are

Phibro-Salomon, American Express and the regional banks.

Basic industry stocks he said he is buying include DuPont,
Seagram's, P.P.& G. Caterpillar, Sundstrand, Harnischleger, U.S. Steel and Bethlehem.

In the technology sector he favors IBM, Cray Research, Advanced Micro Devices, GM "E" and Cullinet, MCI Communications is a new purchase here. Preferred drug issues are Warner-Lambert, Pfizer, Merck, Upjohn and Marion Labs. Insurance cial. Food stocks also have more upside potential, he said, naming General Foods, Heinz and Ralston Purina. "Last but not (Continued on Page 15, Col. 1)

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"While the decision to increase the loan loss reserve is painful in rms of short-term results, our

But other analysts were less san-guine about BankAmerica's pros-pects. Calling the loan provisions "extraordinarily unexpected." Robert B. Albertson of Smith Barney Harris Upham & Co. said the charges paid to local telephone bank's earning power would be companies, came to \$8.55 billion, "greatly diminished" well into against \$8.58 billion in the like pe-

By Dinah Lee muttonal Herald Tribune

HONG KONG — Singapore has gained a large lead over Hong

Kong in those cities tace to be-

come the primary financial-futures market of Asia, according to the president of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, William J. Brodsky.

Both Singapore and Hong Kong sought to open trading in financial futures last year. In September, the ngapore Monetary Exchange, or

Simex, successfully began trading in an overnight link with the Chica-go Mercantile Exchange under a "mutual offset system" allowing

traders in either exchange to close

Meanwhile, legislative delays

have kept the former Hong Kong

Commodity Exchange from being reorganized into a futures ex-

Simex is now trading in Eurodollar, Deutsche mark and yen con-tracts, with the least successful, ac-

positions in the other.

Egypt to Cut

Crude-Oil Prices

CAIRO — Egypt will cut the prices of its crude oil by about \$1.50 a barrel for all blends in July, an official of Egyptian General Petroleum Corp. said

Wednesday. He did not specify

Asked about reports from

U.S. spot oil traders that they

had been notified that Egypt had cut the prices by \$1.50 a barrel, he said, "Officially

prices are not out yet, but there

will be a reduction within that

range."
EGPC sets prices monthly af-ter a market review. Egypt ex-

ports about a third of its crudeoil production, running at about 850,000 barrels a day.

the exact reduction.

Earnings Skid at U.S. Bank

By William McBride rectional Herald Tribuse

NEW YORK — BankAmerica Corp. on Wednesday reported a \$338 million loss in second-quarter earnings, most of it resulting from substantial increases in provisions for bad loans.

The loss, which represents \$2.34 per common share, compares with a net income of \$110 million, or 60

cents a share, for the same three-month period in 1984.

The San Francisco bank-holding company posted a loss of \$224 mil-lion, or \$1.71 a share, for the first

lion, or \$1.71 a share, for the first six months of 1985, compared with a net income of \$211 million, or \$1.15 a share, a year earlier.

RankAmerica, the second-largest U.S. bank-holding company after Citicorp, said additional reserves for bad loans accounted for about 80 percent of the \$338 million loss. Most of the bad loans were to agricultural, real estate and shipping interests, said Samuel H. Armacost, BankAmerica's presi-

"Six weeks ago, we said we expected second-quarter operating results to be near the break-even point," he said in a statement. "In the ensuing period, we've taken higher loan losses than we anticipated at that time."

BankAmerica said its Ioan loss reserve had risen \$527 million for a total of \$1.5 billion. The reserve ratio now totals 1.81 percent of

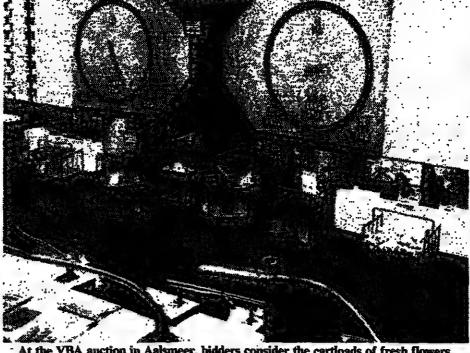
Dick Bove, a bank analyst with Shearson Lehman Brothers Inc. in New York, noted that the latest provisions for bad loans arrived at time when federal authorities are pressuring banks to clean up their balance sheets.

"The regulators are giving all banks tougher audits," he said. Mr. Bove said charges for bad loans could continue throughout 1985, but that BankAmerica's position probably would turn around

He predicted the company would retain the current dividend of 38 cents a share despite negative earnings, noting that it has made progress toward reducing operating expenses and its cost of hunds.

dence, especially in June, "that there is a growing weakness in im-portant sections of the economy which particularly affected our

management and board believe that bolstering the reserve is a pru-dent course for the long-range benefit of the corporation," he said.



At the VBA auction in Aalsmeer, bidders consider the cartloads of fresh flowers,

The Flowering of a Dutch Industry

By Joseph Fitchett International Herold Tribune AALSMEER, Netherlands -The Dutch passion for flowers has blossomed in the past 10 years into a global business that now yields about \$1 billion a

year in export revenues.
Officials in the Dutch horticultural industry project export revenues for 1985 at 3.6 billion guilders (\$1.1 billion), up 13 percent from 1984 and up about 260 percent from 1975's 1 billion

Two-thirds of world trade in cut flowers is supplied by Dutch horticulturists, government offi-cials say, and this trade is backed by increasingly sophisticated technology and resourceful in-ternational marketing.

The hub of the Dutch flower trade is the electronic auction hall in this village outside Am-sterdam. Selling 12 million flow-ers a day, it is the world's largest flower market. Its computerized operations work as smoothly as a conveyor belt to get the flowers to customers while they are fresh. Flowers, cut by hand in the afternoon, are auctioned the next morning. Most leave the country by nightfall in refrigerated trucks or in prechilled boxes aboard KLM flights from Schiphol Air-port, 5 kilometers (3 miles) from Aalsmeer, or by train and truck, By the next day, they are on sale throughout Europe and even in the United States and Asia.

Twice a week, KLM flies flowers to the Soviet Union. They are not for sale in Moscow streets, explained a former KLM director: "They are for the men in the Kremin, who like to emoy the best of everything."

Last year, the Netherlands sold its flowers in more than 20 countries, bringing in 3.2 billion guilders in export revenues — up 15 percent from 1983. The compeutors — Denmark, Colombia and Israel — "tag along, but they are well back in the field," a Dutch official said. None of them has more than 10 percent of the world market.

Dutch borticultural industry officials say that the dramatic drop in cultivation and distribution costs have been key to the expansion of the Dutch flower-

The Dutch flower industry sees continuing growth. The boom in the bloom started in the 1970s, and it's like Jack's beanstalk: no end in sight," said Andre J. Mulder, managing director of the Aalsmeer flower auction. In his view, flowers are "in the air or, more exactly, in our lifestyles, especially in northern Eu-

As leisure time increases and incomes rise, and as flowers be-come available in cities at lower prices, he said, more urbanites want the glimpse of nature af-forded by flowers — and can afford them.

West Germany remains far and away the best customer for Dutch flowers, with about a third of the market, but other European countries are now laster-expanding markets.

This new popularity for flowers has barely touched the United States or Japan. In the United States, for example, "distribu-tion of flowers is antiquated and expensive and promotion is stodgy," Mr. Mulder said. As a result, he said, flowers are four or

(Continued on Page 17, Col. 5)

AT&T Profit Rose 1.3% in 2d Period

year ago.

AT&T said net income for the three months ended June 30 totaled \$461 million, or 41 cents a share, compared with \$455 million, or 43 cents a share, in the same period a year earlier, when there were fewer shares outstanding.

Revenue, after deducting access charges paid to local telephone tiod a year earlier.

cording to Mr. Brodsky, being year contracts, He said Monday that Si-

mex already is trading 3,000 con-

tracts a day, with about a third originating in the United States. Although some financial ana-lysts in Hong Kong speculate that

its larger financial community of banks and brokers will enable it to

eclipse Singapore once futures trading gets underway in Hong Kong, Mr. Brodsky did not agree. "A lot of it relates to who gets

there first and who creates the li-

quidity," he said. "I don't think

geography is the key" because "whether you're in Tokyo, Singapore or Hong Kong, if you want to trade a Eurodollar contract you

don't care where it is; it's the same

Whether Singapore maintains its

change comes up with greater

Hong Kong already has chosen, once trading begins, not to com-pete with Singapore in terms of

contracts to be offered. The first

contract probably will be a Hang

Seng Index futures contract, with which traders can hedge their expo-sure to the volatile Hoog Kong

Simex has announced that it

hopes, in the first half of 1986, to offer a contract on the Nikkei aver-

age, a composite of 225 securities trading on the Tokyo Stock Exchange. Mr. Brodsky said that Asian interest in the trading of

equity-index futures came from the

success of Chicago's index contract based on the index by Standard &

Poor's Corp.
The assistant vice president of

the Hong Kong Futures Exchange, John Ng, said Monday that once the government's legislative coun-

cil has passed the necessary laws

later this month there would be no

further barriers to beginning futures trading on that exchange.

He said that trading probably would begin in late October, a year

later than first scheduled.

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NEW YORK — American Telephone & Telegraph Co. reported wednesday that profit rose 1.3 percent in the second quarter on a 0.3-percent decline in revenue from a case of the first six months of the ment and management and that's ment and management and m \$16.86 billion, after deducting access payments, compared with \$16.77 billion.

"We are taking those steps we need to take to build an improving performance record over the long pull, notwithstanding the difficult challenges we face in achieving our current financial goals," said the Charles L. Brown, AT&T's chairman. "Our objective is to stake out a sustainable leadership position in the business of information move-

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During the latest quarter, AT&T than had been intended. M-1 in-introduced new business computer cludes currency in circulation, trav-products, sales of personal comput-elers checks and checking deposits slumping market, and the company won a federal contract with a po-tential value of nearly \$1 billion, Mr. Brown said.

It also began developing with Quotron Systems Inc. a computerbased information system for the

financial community, it said.

Overseas, it joined with major Japanese companies to provide an enhanced network service and opened its first office in the Peo-ple's Republic of China.

Volcker Calls For Reduction in **Budget Deficit**

By John M. Berry

Washington Post Service
WASHINGTON — Federal Reserve Chairman Paul A. Volcker said Wednesday that the central bank is continuing an "accommodative" monetary policy to bolster the sluggish U.S. economy, but he warned that there are limits to what the Fed alone can accomplish.

"We are dealing with a situation marked by gross imbalances that can neither be sustained indefinitely nor dealt with successfully by monetary policy alone, however conducted," Mr. Volcker told a House subcommittee to which he presented the Fed's midvear report

on monetary policy. The chairman then listed six such imbalances:

"We are borrowing, as a nation, far more than we are willing to save internally.

"We are buying abroad much more than we are able to sell. "We reconcile borrowing more

than we save and buying more than we sell by piling up debts abroad in amounts unparalleled in our histo-Our key trading partners, di-rectly or indirectly, have been relying on our markets to support their growth, and even so most of them

remain mired in historically high levels of unemployment.
"Meanwhile, our high levels of consumption and employment are not being matched by the expan-sion in the industrial base we will need as we restore external balance

"And, after 21/2 years of economic expansion, too many borrowers at bome and abroad remain under

and service our growing external

strain or over-extended."
Mr. Volcker said the change most needed to begin an attack on these problems is a substantial reduction in federal budget deficits, through higher taxes, preferably on consumption rather than income, if enough cuts cannot be made on the spending side.

In the meantime, with economic growth lagging in goods-producing sectors and few if any signs of higher inflation ahead, the Fed has chosen to continue to accommodate rapidly rising demands for credit even though it has meant a much faster rise in the most closely watched measure of money, M-1,

ty prices, and the high level of the dollar that has prevailed in the foreign exchange markets, the growth in M-1 and [total nonfinancial] erally are disbursed debt has not in itself justified a and March were more restrictive approach toward

Dollar Takes Sharp Slide in **Europe Trading**

The Associated Press LONDON - Jitters over the U.S. economy and President Ronald Reagan's health pushed the dollar Wednesday to some of its lowest levels in a year on

foreign exchange markets. The dollar opened broadly lower in the wake of an an-nouncement late Tuesday by the Federal Reserve that it was revising its anti-inflation growth targets for the basic U.S. money supply. A trader in Frankfurt, West

Germany, said the move was taken as a sign that the Fed wants to continue easing its monetary grips and push interest rates lower to stimulate the U.S. economy. Prospects of lower interest rates make dolar-denominated investments

less attractive.

Later in hectic trading, the dollar lost more ground when false rumors circulated in London financial markets that Mr.

Reagan had died.
In late trading Wednesday, the dollar declined in Paris to 8.631 French francs from 8.7575 francs on Tuesday. In Frankfurt the U.S. currency fell to 2.8518 Deutsche marks from 2.88 DM a day earlier, while in Zurich the dollar dropped to 2.33 Swiss francs from 2.3915 francs on Tuesday, in London the pound gained to \$1.412 on Wednesday from \$1.3885 the day before.

ers decided to incorporate the rapid growth of M-1 in the first half of his year into the base from which its future growth will be measured.

Personal Income Rises Jane Seaberry of The Washington Post reported from Washington:

Americans' personal income increased 0.5 percent in June, but consumer spending continued to rise at a slightly faster pace, the Commerce Department reported Wednesday.

Taking account of current and lion in June and personal outlays likely economic developments, the downward pressures on commod-said. Take-home pay — personal percent last month because of federal income tax refunds, which generally are disbursed in February and March were delayed until April and May. The delay caused the provision of reserves to the banking system," he said.

Instead, as disclosed in the midule of the decline to more normal levels last month, the report said.

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By John Crudele New York Times Service NEW YORK — Ending weeks of ramor, Comeast Corp. has of-fered to pay about \$2.1 billion for Storer Communications Inc., which is going private through a leveraged buyout.

Communt, based in Bala-Cynwyd, Pennsylvania, is the 16th-largest cable television operator in the United States. Storer, based in Miami, is the fourth largest.
Comeast announced Tuesday

that it would pay 582 a share in cash plus 1.2 shares of preferred stock in the surviving company. It offered 1.2 warrants for each of Storer's 21.2 million shares out-standing on a fully diluted basis.

Sources familiar with the proposal said Comcast estimated the worth of its offer at between \$96 and \$100 a share. The offer was announced after the close of the action. Comcast said it would proannounced after the close of the New York Stock Exchange, but in trading elsewhere on Tuesday Storer rose \$1.75, to \$84. Comeast closed Tuesday at \$20.75 on the over-the-counter market, up 25

After showing some reluctance, Storer's management in April had accepted a \$1.8-billion acquisition offer pot together by Kohlberg. Kravis, Roberts & Co., the Wall Street investment house that specializes in leveraged buyouts.

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Under the Kohlberg agreement which won the backing of Storer's directors in May, shareholders would receive \$75 in cash and \$25 face value in preference stock for each of the 21.2 million shares. That offer is estimated to be worth about \$85 a share by Wall Street analysts.

Comeast's bid comes at a time when the cable industry's prospects are promising. Many of the costly major urban franchises already have been built, and deregulation will allow operators to raise the prices they charge subscribers.

Comcast, which serves 490,000 subscribers and recently won fran-chises for another 60,000, is considered to be one of the best-run cable companies in the country.
It said that Merrill Lynch & Co.,

the largest U.S. broker, would provide \$1.2 billion toward the transvide \$200 million of its own funds, with another \$900 million coming from the Bank of Montreal Sources on Wall Street said that Comeast probably would seek im-

mediately to sell Storer's seven television stations if the transaction went through, hoping to get \$800 million to help pay off the financ-Storer officials declined to com-

ment on the bid because they had not yet received the formal offer.

Debenhams Says New Burton Bid Is Inadequate

LONDON - A revised £583-million (\$820-million) offer for the Debenhams department store chain was rejected Wednesday after it was made by Burton Group PLC, a cloth-

ing retailer.

Debenhams said the offer, valued at 345 pence per ordinary share when adjusted for capitalization, ignored the company's record increases in profit, earnings and dividend per share, as well as its prospecis for continued growth.

In May, Debenhams rejected a £455-million bid from Burton es inadequate. The chairman of Debenhams, Robert Thornton, said then that the group would fight any hostile takeover with a counter-bid exceeding £600

Burton said Wednesday's offer would be its last unless another bidder entered the field. In that case, it said it would reserve the right to raise its offer

Debenhams, which includes the Hamley toy shops and Har-vey Nichols department stores. recorded a record pretax profit of £40.7 million in 1984. It is predicting £60 million in pretax profits this year.

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High Stakes, Cold Hands

(Continued from Page 13) least" he is buying the airlines, fa-voting Northwest, Delta, United, U.S. Air and Piedmont.

Pru-Bache's Mr. Fraenkel, while optimistic toward Wall Street because stocks do not necessarily need an environment of rising company earnings to push them higher

"There was no profit growth to
speak of in the late-middle 1920s." he said, "but the stock market wen wild" — still thinks earnings fore casts are overblown, now that disinflation is the keynote.

"Most analysts on Wall Street are predicting a 10 to 15 percent annual gain for corporate earnings over the next five years," he said There are very few companies that are going to grow that much."

He makes the point that the

"worst stocks are having an explosion" in price-earnings ratios, ever though their prices on Wall Street are going down "because their earnings are going down even fast-"As the lower interest rate envi-

ronment continues to evolve, the P/Es on the parts of the market that actually deliver consistent and rapid growth will move up much faster than they have so far - simply to catch up."

Mr. Fraenkel's favorite sector is

consumer products and services. Health care and speciality retailing top his list, but he also likes the airlines and defense stocks. Richard Russell, editor of Dow

Theory Letters, noted that he recently received an offer to buy shares in a macadamia nut orchard in Hawaji.

"I don't know anything about merchandizing macadamia nuts so I tossed the material into the wastebasket," he said. "For over a quarter of a century I've been telling my readers to do roughly the same thing. If you don't understand it, if you can't comprehend it, if it smells fishy or if it's out of your sphere of knowledge or if it sounds too good to be true, then forget about it. It's probably going to cost you mon-

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Philips Predicts Decrease In Profits for 2d Quarter

appreciably lower than in the sec-spokesman said. ond 1984 quarter, when it had a net profit of 262 million guilders (\$80

mainly the result of unfavorable developments in the semiconductor market in the United States, in which its subsidiary, Signetics Corp., is a major supplier. A Philips spokesman declined to give any fig-ures on the expected decrease in

People Express Set

New York Times Service

largest expansion in three years.
The service to Atlanta, the home

of Delta Air Lines, and Dallas, base of American Airlines, marks another foray into highly competi-tive routes for People Express, which in its early years specialized

in serving smaller cities.

A spokesman said Tuesday that

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The company's statement said there had been some improvement in results, but that had not been enough to compensate fully for the decline in income of the U.S. subsidiary, which had led to a decline for the group as a whole. The poor results in the United

Reuters States reflected the general trend
AMSTERDAM — Philips NV on the microchip market there and said Wednesday that it expected not any special factors affecting results in the second quarter to be Philips's U.S. operations, the In the first quarter, Philips had

net profits of 260 million guilders, a 7.8-percent decrease from 282 mil-Philips said the setback was lion in the first three months of 1984. Sales increased 7 percent in the quarter to 13.68 billion guil-· Philips, Europe's largest home

electronics maker, previously reported a steady improvement in results, with 1984 net totaling 1.11 billion guilders, as against 667 million in 1983. The company also attributed the

decrease for the first quarter to problems in the U.S. microchip Wednesday's statement said Philips continued to expect a 7-

percent increase in sales volume for

1985 over 1984, when its sales to-taled 53.80 billion guilders, up 10 percent in volume terms from 1983. The fulfillment of a March forecast of higher profit for the group in 1985 would depend on the eco-NEW YORK — People Express
Airlines Inc. says it will begin service from its Newark base to Albany, Atlanta, Dallas, Montreal and
Providence, Rhode Island, This will be the discount-fare airline's nomic situation in the United States in the second half of 1985,

Bankers Ltd., one of Britain's big-gest gold dealers, the government announced Wednesday.

Nigel Lawson, chancellor of the

there would be three round-trip flights daily to each city. Service from Newark to Montreal, at a \$29 one-way fare, will begin Saturday.
Flights to Atlanta and Dallas begin
Aug. 1, with \$49 and \$69 one-way
fares, respectively. Service to Albany and Providence will begin Aug.
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7, at fares of \$29 to both. American said it had not decided whether to match the fares to Dal-He told the house June 20 that las. Delta said it would begin offering \$98 one-way fares for a limited number of seats to Atlanta.

It Expects Profits To Decline in '85 Reuters

it expects profits to fall in 1985 at the present rate).

Heinz Ruhnau, managing board chairman of the airline, which is 74 percent government owned, told the annual meeting that slowing world trade, an anticipated drop in the dollar and fierce competition on the most important intercontinental routes were to blame for the lower than expected profit.

He did not make a detailed forecast for 1985, but said all divisions again would be profitable. He said the airline expected an increase in both passen-gers, to more than 16 million,

airline's investments, expected to total 1.5 billion DM in 1985.

Lufthansa Says

COLOGNE - Deutsche Lufthansa AG said Wednesday after net profit more than doubled in 1984, to 162 million Deutsche marks (\$56.2 million

and freight. Mr. Ruhnau said Lufthansa

paid a 3.50-DM dividend, un-changed from 1984, because it wanted to be able to finance the

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COMPANY NOTES

Federal Pension Benefit Guaranty Corp. for authority to end pensions for 8,600 employees and retirees and for the agency to assume them. The company said it had a pension liability of \$173 million.

Charter Consolidated PLC reported that pretax profit for the year ending in March was £16.52 million (\$23 million), a 55-percent decrease from £37.01 million the year before.

Frontier Airlines' directors have approved an employee offer to buy the Denver-hased carrier. Under an agreement with four of Frontier's five unions, holders of the company's 12.4 million outstanding shares will be paid \$17 per share, and the unions are to own at least 80 percent through an employee

stock-ownership plan.
General Motors Corp. will increase prices more than 3 percent on several N-body compact cars for

Adelaide Steamship Co. has been ger cars by an average of 3 percent

Hellenic Industrial Develo Bank. Greece's state-owned development bank, has agreed to purweek raised its bid 40 cents, to 3.90 chase a shippard near Athens Australian dollars (\$2.76), a share, owned by Stavros Niarchos, for The offer was to close Wednesday. \$13 million. The yard closed in April after more than \$40 million im losses in the past four years, leaving 4,800 workers unemployed.

Matsushita Electric Industrial Co. will consider production of video-tape recorders in the United States in view of Japanese-U.S. trade frictions. Matsushita projects exporting about 4.6 million VTRs to the United States, accounting for 60 percent of its total shipments, in 1985-86.

MGM-UA Entertainment Co. is "seriously exploring" a plan to spin off its United Artists movie subsidiary to its public shareholders for \$10 a share, or a total of about \$500

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Rothmans Holdings Ltd. has 92.8 percent of the 13.91 million issued shares in Allen's Confectionery Ltd., bought at 4 Australian dollars (\$2.84) to 4.70 a share, and will the 1986 model year. The move led compulsorily acquire ordinary analysts to predict that GM will shares it does not hold by the close raise prices on the rest of its passen- of its takeover offer Aug. 2.

Police Probe Johnson Matthey Bankers

LONDON — Police are investi-gating possible fraud in the col-lapse last year of Johnson Matthey

exchequer, said that "serious, unex-plained gaps" had been found in the bank's records, although so far there was no conclusive evidence of

Among the documents that possibly were removed are those relat-ed to "substantial past transactions on certain accounts that are the subject of large losses," Mr. Law-son told the House of Commons.

the banking and gold-trading branch of Johnson Matthey PLC had collapsed because the compa-wide.

ny seriously overextended itself. He said the latest estimate of its losses totaled £248 million (\$347 million). The bank Wednesday called in

Owen Kelly, the London police commissioner, to conduct a prelim-inary inquiry, Mr. Lawson said. His findings will be submitted to Sir Thomas Hetherington, director of public prosecutions. The Bank of England took over

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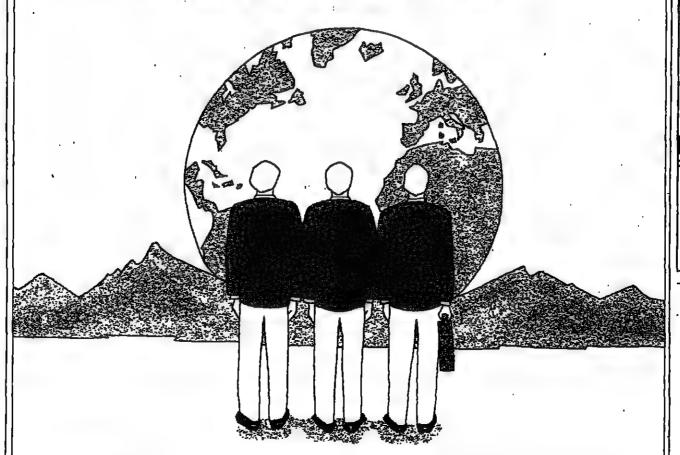
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For speed, prices are bid down, not up, at Aalsmeer, in contrast to typical summer morning, Ameri-can, European and Japanese famnever afford individually. never afford individually.

For example, the VBA worries about fashions in flowers as compulsively as a Paris couturier tries to anticipate hemlines. In flowers, "colors and even varieties have a product life cycle, usually about five years," said Mr. Mulder, "For years, yellow flowers were unsaleable in France now they are language. gray, frequently depressing Dutch ilies peer down from the tourist weather may also be a factor, along catwalks, oohing and ashing at the usual auction practice. Giant, 134.90 134.90 134.90 134.50 134.66 137.00 134.90 134.50 134.66 137.00 137.50 134.50 134.61 137.00 138.40 139.00 139.00 139.20 139.00 139.00 139.00 139.20 139.00 139.00 138.45 139.20 clocklike indicators start their massed flowers below.

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50 YBB_AMS (CR meadow of cut flowers. of purchase. Dutch trade officials hot colors. Americans still like the perfume or perhaps dinner for two," he said. Nevertheless, Dutch flower ex-ports to the United States have The main auction is split among contend that the auction is one of slightly melodramatic heavy tones \$ 538 5.674 +.074 \$ 5574 5.674 +.006 \$ 5574 5.674 +.006 \$ 5674 5.674 -.014 \$ 5715 -.014 \$ 5715 -.03 \$ 5715 -.03 \$ 5715 -.04 \$ 5344 5.87 -.04 six rooms, each a mini-auditorium for about 200 buyers, seated at tiers of desks rising in front of the auc-tioneer. Each hall has a specialty: the world's smoothest distribution that stopped appealing in Europe five years ago. Scheduling for peaks in demand ("It seems like it's always Mother's Day somewhere when you have a world market") and predicting new It also ranks as an outstanding growers' cooperative. Officially known as the United Aalsmeer started to climb steeply. Revenues Sperion
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Although buyers cannot belong, more than 300 wholesalers and explode in the coming decade, ac-cording to Mr. Mulder, 44, who has managed the Aalsmeer auction for U.S. Bill Calls for Import Fee porters have offices and packing depots in the VBA. One of the biggest is Zurel, a SOYBEAN OIL (CBT) 21 years. In fact, the U.S. Agriculture Department is considering posting an inspector at Aalsmeer to facilitate exports. 28.48 27.24 26.58 25.99 25.40 25.05 24.95 24.95 24.47 24.27 By Jane Seaberry
New York Times Service
WASHINGTON — Three lead-Japan had the biggest surplus of any nation trading with the United States — 536.8 billion — last year. company that started in the business when the present owner's grandfather ferried flowers to Am-Because of its sophisticated or-ganization and dominant market position, the Netherlands can im-port flowers from countries with The legislation would apply to nations whose exports to the Unit-ed States exceed their U.S. imports ing Democrats in Congress intro-duced legislation Wednesday that could result in a 25-percent sursterdam in a flat-bouomed skiff he sterdam in a nat-bottomen skill he poled along the canals.

Today Europe is crisscrossed daily by the company's fleet of blue trucks with "Zurel" emblazoned in giant gold letters. "It really does show up better," says Maurice M. Zurel, 76, who started in his father's company \$3 years and generally warmer climates, such as France, then cut them and put them together for re-export to the charge on goods from nations that run large trade surpluses with the by 65 percent, and whose total ex-9A7\$ (CBT) 5,000 bu minim 1,78% 1,41 1,79 1,39 1,87% 1,43 1,674 1,43 1,63 1,44 ports exceed imports by 50 percent.

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In the Zurel order room, which tike the shipping dock, is under the VBA roof, the activity is as intense cent each year after the surcharge became effective. French growers to get a full selec-tion," a Dutch exporter said. The bill is the latest in a series of ### V Core

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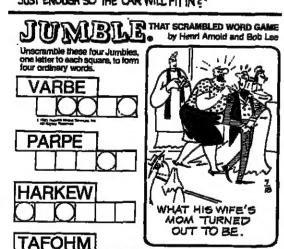
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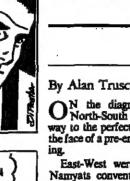
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BOOKS

HAILE SELASSIE'S WAR: The Italian-Ethiopian Campaign, 1935-1941

By Anthony Mockler, 454 pages. Illustrated. \$24.95

Random House, 201 East 50th Street, New York, N. Y. 10022.

Reviewed by John Gross

OR most of us, if we think of it at all, the war between Italy and Ethiopia in the 1930s — the Abyssinian War, as it used to be called — is chiefly memorable as a landmark on the road leading to World War II. It conjures up images of Mussolini vociferating from a balcony, or of Haile Selassie addressing the League of Nations; but beyond a vague impression of defenseless natives being bombed, few people today are likely to have much idea of what happened in Ethiopia.

Anthony Mockler's first purpose in "Haile

Selassie's War" is to redress this imbalance. Where previous writers have tended to treat the war, as he says, as "basically a European concern, a sort of dramatized diplomatic history in which the Ethiopians played the part merely of colourful extras," he sets it firmly

and consistently in its Ethiopian context. Even so, the Italians are on the scene in the opening pages. The story starts, as far as Mockler is concerned, with the battle of Adowa in 1896, in which an Italian force, sent to subdue Ethiopia, was routed by the armies of Emperor Menelik II.

Adowa may have been a picturesque affair Menelik's empress and her attendants watched the fighting from a nearby hillside under a black umbreila "raised instead of the Imperial Red as a sign of grief at battle against fellow-Christians" — but it was also an extremely bloody one. True, the Italians taken prisoner had little to complain of (as opposed to their Eritrean auxiliaries); the worst humiliation inflicted on them was having one of their number led before the empress and forced to sing "Funiculi Funicula" and "Dolce Napoli." But the humiliation of the defeat was still rankling nearly 40 years later when Mussolini launched his attack.

During the intervening decades Menelik had died; after a period of civil war his daughter had been proclaimed empress in 1916 with the assistance of a regent, Ras Tafari, who had consolidated his power by the time he became

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Selassie. Mockler gives a fascinating account of Haile Selassie's early career, and of his determination to modernize his exotic feudal empire. He hered Belgians to train and equip his army, imported foreign advisers to supervise legal reforms, sent an envoy to Tokyo to see what could be learned from the Japanese example. But all his plans were cut short by the Italian

emperor in 1930 under the name of Haile

invasion. Could it have been averted? The immediate cause was an outbreak of fighting at Walwal, near the border with Italian Somaliland, that led the Ethiopian government to protest to the League of Nations — a wise move politically, in Mockler's view, but a psychological blunder, since it forced Mussolini into a position where to climb down would have been to admit that he was in the wrong (comething dictators find it difficult to do). Further, Mussolini had been contemplating an invasion of Ethiopia for some years, so it would have been a distinct

possibility even without Walwal. The war was marked by great savagery. Neither side took many prisoners, and there were cruel reprisals - a bombing was avenged by a beheading, a beheading was avenged by the use of mustard gas. But while it may be true that "the Italian frightfulness in the air was equalled by the Ethiopian frightfulness on the ground," air superiority was so decisive that it is hard not to feel that the Italians were more culpable (quite apart from the fact that they were the aggressors).

After Haile Selassie went into exile (setting up house in England, a country where he had

many admirers, in a villa in Bath) and after his capital, Addis Ahaba, was captured, the Italians annexed Ethiopia and merged it with Italian Somaliland and Eritrea to form the new state of Africa Orientale Italiana, or Italian East Africa (a colony Mussolini never visited, incidentally). What is striking about the regime thus established. Mockler writes, "is the extent to which it was not just a military-colonial but

a specifically Fascist regime."

Marshal Graziani, viceroy from June 1936 to
November 1937, had already earned himself a reputation for brutality putting down rebel-lions in North Africa. After an attempt to assassinate him in Addis Ababa, members of the Fascist Party in the capital were given carte blanche to take revenge, and thousands of Ethiopians were slaughtered. When the moaks in Debra Libanos, Ethiopia's most (amous monastery, were executed on Graziani's orders in 1937, it had the effect of reawakening resis-

tance throughout the country.
In June 1940 Italy declared war on Britain and France, and fighting spread to East Africa. Later the same month Hatie Selassic arrived in Sudan, and the following May he entered Addis Ababa in triumph. Despite some initial disasters, the British gradually got the upper hand; in Ethiopia the tide had been turned by the "Gideon Force," a motley collection of troops under the command of the abrasive but inspired Orde Wingate (whose eccentricities included summoning his subordinates for interviews "which he would conduct quite naked, scrubbing himself with toothbrushes").

Wingate is one of many strange characters who pass through the pages of "Haile Selassie's War." Mockler does full justice to the fantastic aspects of the story; he writes with an unobtrusive wit, and keeps the narrative flowing.

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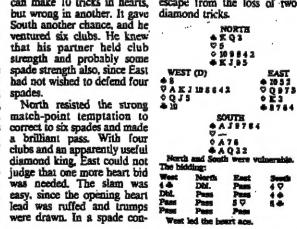
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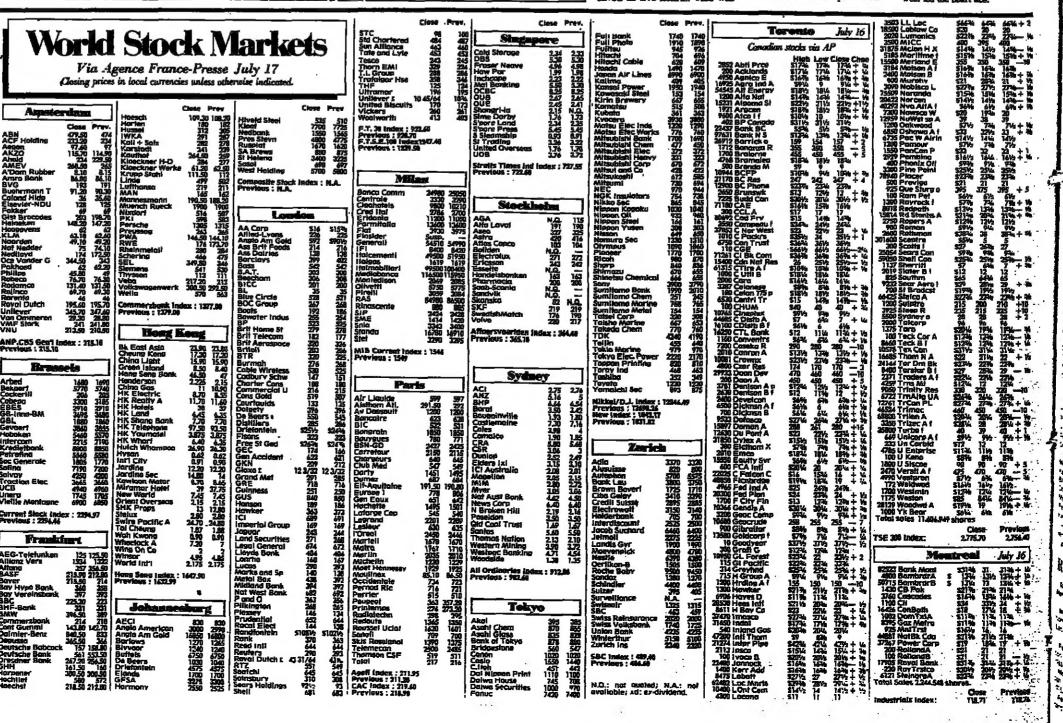
By Alan Truscott

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the same. Five National League pitchers Ryan, who said his control allowed just five hits and one run wasn't the best, dusted Henderson - an unearned run, at that - to with a pitch under the chin before shut down the American League, 6-striking him out on a 3-and-2 fast-l, before 54,960 in the 56th All-Stur ball. game at the Metrodome.

Did the American League start-before inducing a routine ground-ers really have 118 home runs out to end the sixth. among them? It certainly didn't "Ryan is intimidating," said Pete seem to faze San Diego's LaMarr Rose, the Cincinnati player-man-Hoyt, who pitched the first three innings and got the victory, Nolan 20 years ago. "I can't believe the Ryan, Fernando Valenzuela, Jeff, stuff he has. Reardon or Goose Gossage, who struck our Boston's Jim Rice and Rich Gedman to end the game.

The American League came into the mid-summer classic clearly superior in overall talent but wound up losing for the 13th time in 14 years and 36th time overall, against 19 victories and a tie. After taking a 1-0 lead in the first inning on that unearned run, the Americans couldn't score again.
The Nationals took a 2-1 lead in

the third on a run-scoring single by Steve Garvey of San Diego and made it 4-1 in the fifth on a two-run single by Philadelphia's Ozzie Virgil. They closed the scoring in the ninth on a two-run double by Willie McGee of St. Louis.

Other than the loosided result. the biggest surprise was that no home runs were hit -especially by American Leaguers — in a park where balls routinely rocket farther than 400 feet.

But as National League outfielder Darryl Strawberry said, "Everybody saw the home-run hitting contest [staged Monday] and thought the game would be like that. But the pitchers are no dummies. They saw the same thing."

Hoyt, the 1983 American League Cy Young winner when he was with Chicago, was named the All-Star Game's most valuable player. "In this league," he said, "I've seen pitchers who can absolutely dominate a game. "I don't think I saw quite the same kind of pitching in the American League. Our pitchers were pumped up to the max about pitching in this game."

One had to wonder whether the American League would have managed as much as a single hit if — in addition to Hoyt, Ryan and the rest it had to face the Nationals' two best pitchers, Dwight Gooden, (13- who didn't pitch, and Joaquin Andujar (15-4), who didn't even show up. New York Yankee Rickey Henderson singled to start the game, stole second, went to third on catcher Terry Kennedy's throwing error and scored on George Brett's sacrifice fly.

American Leaguers stole three bases as part of an All-Star record of five. But they took themselves out of a possible eighth-inning rally with bad baserunning. Toronto's Damaso Garcia singled to start the inning, stole second and tried for third when the throw bounced off Ryne Sandberg's glove, But Rear-don got off the mound in time to pick up the ball and throw out Garcia at third.

The bonus for the National League was that Seattle's Phil Bradley had struck out for what

can League arguably had superior two on base and see a game-tight- American League hitters:

could have fielded a neighborhood softball team behind the brilliant had to —in two-on, two-out situapitching it got here Tucsday night, tions against Henderson in the fifth and the result might well have been and Yankee teammate Dave Winfield in the sixth.

He also put Winfield on his seat

"His philosophy is, "The inside

part of the plate is mine and I'm not giving in to anybody." Told that Rose had called him an intimidator, Ryan deadpanned: "I didn't realize I was."

Those who expected the American League power hitters to prove the National League's low-scoring season is a farce, waited in vain.

The American League-oriented Hoyt had a most reasonable expla- first two runs. And Dan Petry form shirt with him. The Tigers

"They've got a lot of big swingers over there, big boppers who can go deep. But they can be pitched to, and it tends to show up in All-Star

Hoyt said he was surprised the National League didn't hit any homers, but said he knew once he left the game after the third "that they weren't going to hit any home runs off any of those other guys."
National League Manager Dick Williams of San Diego went into the game with the idea of letting

apiece, Valenzuela and Reardon one each and then have Gossage mop up. Done. Hoyt gave up two singles, Ryan two more and Reardon one.

Hoyt and Ryan go three innings

The American League pitchers, meanwhile, were roughed up. Start-er Jack Morris obviously didn't have his best stuff (he bounced several balls in front of the plate). In fact, the vaunted Detroit staff got roughed up pretty well in front of their American League skipper, Sparky Anderson.

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> homer. fence," McGee said. "It would have been great to see what would have happened if I kept running, but it's a nice memory ."

Brett, despite what he called "a lot of vim and vigor on our side," said he thought Monday's home

run hitting contest, which the Replied National Leaguer Vir-

Whitaker forgot to bring his uni- off. But the good ones don't."

winner, relief ace Willie Hernan- airport. Whitaker played in a \$15 dez, did not allow an earned run. Tiger jersey purchased at one of the But Hernandez did give up Metrodome's souvenir stands. A No. 1 was taken off one of Willie bounce over the wall might have Hernandez's extra uniforms and ended up as an inside-the-dome traced onto Whitaker's with a felt-Trn sorry it bounced over the got his glove, too; he had to borrow one from Baltimore shortstop Cal Ripken.

• Five San Diego Padres started for the National League, the first Morris ended his streak of five time five teammates have started scoreless innings in All-Star play.
"I didn't pitch as well as I would five — Joe Morgan, Dave Conceptave liked," he said. Johnny Bench.

• For the first time in five seasons, there were no rookies on ei-

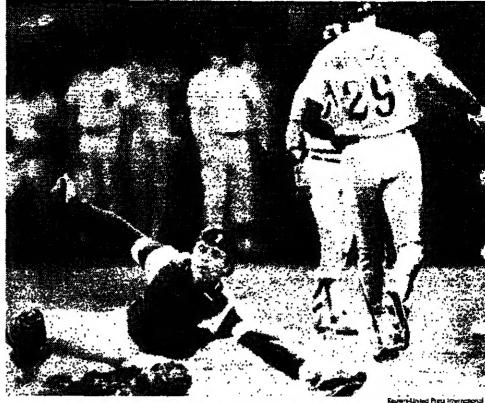
ther team. American League won, 17-16, before 46,000, was more exciting than the game.

Brett, on playing All-Star Games in domed stadiums: "It reminds me of being told as a child to go to your room and you can't go

"It wasn't boring to us, We outside and play."

(WP, LAT)

Rose, 44 and a National League All-Star for the 17th time: "I'm glad I made the team. A lot of · Detroit second baseman Lon players like to take the three days



A relay throw eluded catcher Carlton Fisk, but only after Darryl Strawberry and Tim Wallach had scored on Ozzie Virgil's fifth-inning single, upping the National League lead to 4-1.

A Subpar U.S. Crew Leaves British Open Wide Open

By John Feinstein Washington Past Service SANDWICH, England — If a golf tournament can have a lastminute theme, the 1985 British Open has one: Where are the Americans?

Yes, Tom Watson is here, fiddling with a new putter in an at-tempt to break a yearlong siump. Yes, Jack Nicklaus is here, confident after a second-place finish in the recent Canadian Open and happy after a hole-in-one during Tuesday's practice round.

Also present are Lee Trevino, Fuzzy Zoeller, Craig Stadler, Tom Kite and Bill Rogers, who won here at Royal St. George's in 1981. But even with all those familiar names, two things are noticeably

different: The second echelon of U.S. players is missing, and those in the first are not considered top contenders in the tournament that starts on Thursday.

"I think a lot of guys stayed home because of the golf course," Nicklaus said. "Not that it's a bad golf course, but it doesn't have the tradition of St. Andrews, Muirfield or Birkdale. Til play here every year, no matter where the tournament is held. But a lot of guys don't feel that way."

Among those in that category are

Curtis Strange, the leading money winner on the 1985 PGA tour at \$530,000; Fred Couples, who finished fourth last year at St. Andrews; along with Raymond Floyd, Peete, Hal Satton, Johnny Miller, Hubert Green and the U.S. Open champion, Andy North. All are skipping the British Open. Even Arnold Palmer, who helped make the British Open a great tour-

nament with victories in 1961 and 1962, stayed home for the first time in 25 years.

"I think a lot of it gets back to money," said Peter Jacobsen, who had to qualify the first time he played here three years ago. "!

teen years ago, your year was course or maybe they don't want to judged by how many tournaments you won. Now it's judged by how much money you win. A guy can make \$150,000 and never finish higher than fourth. It's too bad that

eight of the top 20 money winners aren't here have won the tournaon the U.S. tour are here. And, for the first time in memory, the two he'll be here regardless of the cost, given the best chance to win are regardless of the course, regardless Europeans: defending champion of the inconvenience. Severiano Ballesteros and Masters champion Bemhard Langer.

case if Strange were here. "I'm sur-prised and disappointed that there Given Watson's prolonged prised and disappointed that there isn't a better American representa- slump (he has not won a tournation," said Watson, who has won ment in more than a year) and this tournament five times and was given the rise of such players as second last year. It could make my Ballesteros — who has won the second last year. It could make my Ballesteros — who has won the job a lot easier, though, because I Irish and French Opens in the last

In Curtis's case, it can't possibly be win here for only the fourth time in the cost, because he's won over the last 16 years. \$500,000 this year. He could have That concerns the U.S. continchartered a Concorde to make the gent. "They do some flag-waving trip if he wanted."

tournament three times, also is baf- when I'm here than when I'm at fled by top Americans who chose home. "I dream about winning this not to come. "Men like Arnold tournament and I really think some Palmer, Jack Nicklans, Tom Wat-day I will win it. But if I can't, I'd son and Lee Trevino have all un- like to see another American do it."

Curtis Strange what is right for 90 miles (145 kilometers) south of him, but I think he's making a mistake. He's going to break the earnings record [set by Watson in 1980], the courses, a links, bounded by

travel. I do think Strange should be here, though." Nicklaus offered another theory

on the non-American invasion: "Look at the list of guys not comguys think that way, but I think a ing. I think most of them don't feel lot of them do."

In all, there are only 32 U.S. players in the field of 153. Only here. How many in the top 20 who ment? If a guy thinks he can win,

"But if he doesn't really think he can win and he's going to play most years, then this year, playing a non-That probably would not be the traditional course, would be the

was going to bet on Curtis to win. month — Langer and Australian "I can't offer a reasonable an- Greg Norman, the odds seem exswer why so many guys aren't here, cellent that a non-American will

over here," said Jacobson, "So you Strange said last week he wanted really do want to see our guys do to take some time off to be with his well. I know I pay more attention Gary Player, who has won this Watson and Lee Trevino are doing

derstood the importance of the British Open," he said. "Others apparently don't.

Rogers did in 1981. That was the year Royal St. George's was required to the open rotation of the parently don't. "It certainly isn't for me to tell 32-year absence. The club is about

or flagpole to line my shots up on, said Nicklaus, who shot a firstround 83 here four years ago. "It's definitely a different golf course."

Next year, the open returns to playing,"

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"But a lot of guys look at the money and not the tradition. Fifther weeks are afried of the Americans are afried of the Amer

course, I think you'll see everyone playing." Nicklaus said. "Put the tournament at St. Andrews, and you'll see 20 out of the top 20



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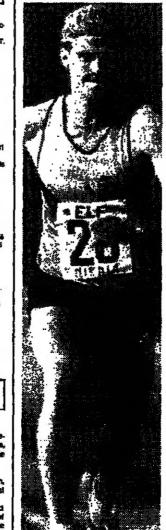
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Cram Sets 1,500 Mark



Steve Cram

Cram, 24, battered the mark of 3.30.77, set Sept. 4, 1983, in Rieti, Italy, by fellow Briton Steve Ovett. Making his move 300 meters from the finish, Cram went on to edge Moroccan Said Aouita, the 1984 Olympic 5,000-meter gold Aouita, whose clocking of 3:29.71 also eclipsed Ovetr's mark,

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches

NICE—Olympic silver medalist Steve Cram set a world record of 3

minutes, 29.67 seconds in the

1,500-meter run at an international

track meet here Tuesday night.

Cram take a victory lap.

José Luis Gonzalez of Spain finished third, ahead of Steve Scott, who cut two-tenths of a second off his four-year-old U.S. record with a time of 3:31.76. "I knew I had a chance when I

was reduced to tears as he watched

saw the strength of the field last week," said Cram afterward. "I really felt I was alone out there. I wasn't even aware who was chasing me. I saw it was Aouita in the last 10 meters. "The last five meters were a bit

of struggle, but I don't think they made any difference in setting the record." Cram came close to Ovett's re-

cord several weeks ago at a meet in Olso with a third-fastest ever 3:31.34. "I knew I was getting near then," he said. "I was very nervous here - as nervous as I've ever been." He said the formidable field and a cheering crowd of 18,000 spurred him on. "It was much more challenging this way. I liked putting myself on the line."

Cram, who has had intermittent leg problems, remained undecided about racing against Sebastian Coe at a meet Friday in London. It would be their first duel at 1,500 meters since the Olympic final, when Coe won the gold.

"I want to run there," said Cram after setting the record, "but a tough race like this one could have a delayed aftereffect." (UPI, AP)

Terrain and Campaign Drain Hinault

By Samuel Abt

International Herald Tribune
PAU, France — Injured, weary and ailing. Bernard Hinault Irish rider with the Redoute team, 3 145 riders. scraped through the Pyrenees on Wednesday with a diminished lead in the Tour de France bicyle race, but one he is almost certain to overtaking Himault in the Pyrenees, maintain now that the mountains and Roche gave it his best effort

Only three long daily stages and an individual time trial remain before the race ends Sunday in Paris, was a fearsome climb up to the Aubitrone Page 52 kilometers from 23 days and 4,000 kilometers (2,500 miles) after it started.

Hinault, a 30-year-old French-man who rides for the Vie Claire team, ought to be ecstatic to see the Champs-Elysées. His face is drawn and there are dark pouches under his eyes, the result of fatigue and a fall last Saturday in which he broke his nose and ripped his scalp. He is also suffering from a heavy cold and is said to have occasional trouble breathing.

day, he looks more like a man who has gone 18 rounds than 18 days. But barring unlikely collapse or another acadent, Hinault seems certain to record his fifth victory in the Tour de France, the world's most prestigious bicycle road race.
"We'll accept him in our club
with pleasure," said Jacques Anquetil, who shares with Eddy
Merckx the record of five victories

in a race that started in 1903 and

has been interrupted only by world wars. Anquetil dominated the sport

As somebody said here Wednes-

in the early 1960s, Merckx a decade later. Hinault won his first tour in 1978 and repeated in 1979, 1980 and 1982. He liked to say in those years that the only race was for second place, behind him, and so it appears to be again this year after two

threatening days in the Pyrenees
"He's back in form again, and I don't see anybody catching him," said Greg LeMond, Hinault's teammate, after the finish in Pau of the second of Wednesday's halfstages. LeMond is second behind Hinault in least overall elapsed time, 2 minutes 13 seconds back.

minutes 33 seconds back of Hin-ault. They were the only two still considered to have a chance of

Wednesday morning, winning the day's first stage by a minute and 30

Aubisque Pass, 52 kilometers from

Luz St. Sauveur. Riding on a blazingly hot day through hundreds of thousands of spectators, Roche was unable to shake off Hinault in a group of eight pursuers. "Hinault looks stronger than he is," the Irishman said. "He's fortunate that this race has run out of mountains."

Before it did, the second half-The peak was crossed from west to east, the opposite direction from



Bernard Hinault ... 18 rounds, and more to come. stayed close to Hinault,

He has made up 3 minutes in the last five days. Third behind the American is Stephen Roche, an which Hinault often led the pack of The winner this time was Regis

Simon, a journeyman with the Re-doute team; Roche finished fifth in the same time as Hinault. LeMond had the same clocking and was careful to spend the day near Hinault, his captain. The American caused a major flap

Tuesday when he charged that "the team doesn't want me to win."
Furious at the finish, LeMond accused Vie Claire officials of not having allowed him to draw away from Hinault, who struggled badly during the late part of the race. Despite that, the Frenchman finished barely more than a minute behind LeMond, who had no prob-

lems climbing.

LeMond, Hinault's designated stage began with another climb of heir in next year's Tour de France, the Aubisque, 1,710 meters high. was later called in for a conference with team officials, who signed him last fall to a \$1 million contract over three years.

When he emerged, LeMond was

contrite. "I got a little carried away," he admitted, explaining that when he had said, "this was my chance to wear the yellow jersey, one of my dreams," he had not intended it the way it sounded. What he really meant, LeMond said after the debriefing, was that

he had hoped to wear the symbol of leadership only for a day before returning it to Hinault. "If they paid me \$1 million, I'd be happy to settle for second place," Roche joked Wednesday, Roche is looking for another em-

ployer because the Redoute team is folding at the end of this season. Roche was quoted as having added that he tried to encourage LeMond to attack with him during Wednesday's morning climb. "Pil take the stage and you'll take the yellow jersey," he said he told Le-Mond, hoping to tempt him into a

relay. But, Roche reported, LeMond merely smiled back at him and Association.' "

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reason Coca-Cola gave in to the public was Buchwald that they couldn't take the flak from their customers about their new improved product. If the Coke company can't take the pressure, we figure the telephone com-

pany is vulnerable as well."
"Do you want everyone to go back to the old phone system?" "No, we're following the Coke marketing philosophy. We don't want them to drop the new way of providing phone service. All we're asking is that everyone in the United States be given a choice between the old Ma Bell and what they have inflicted on all of us since. We're not ones to tell a user what to choose. If you like the present telephone system with its fancy prices, high-tech recorded voices and unintelligible computer-coded item-ized bills, then we say stick with the new. If you prefer constant breakdowns and service technicians who deny jurisdiction over your phone m, you're probably satisfied with the improved product.

Repaired Section of Wall To Be Opened in China

The Associated Press
BELUING — A newly repaired section of the Great Wall of China two kilometers (1.2 miles) long will open to the public Oct. 1, easing

congestion at the tourist site, the Xinhua news agency reports. About 1.3 million tourists a year visit the wall at Badaling Pass, the main section open to the public, and at peak times there are four visitors on every square meter of the 2,000-year-old wall.

Washington — Garfinkel

"But if you long for the days
you to become a member of the
human voice gave you information Sons of Ma Bell Telephone Users and the repairman was at your house before you hung up, then you "What's your story?" should have a right to opt for the old system. The "Sons of Ma Bell"

"I admire your goals, but it seems to me that it's easier to bring back a soft drink than it is to resurrect a communications system."

"I don't agree with you," Garfin-kel said. "The Coca-Cola company is the most powerful institution in the world. If they can admit they've made a mistake, surely a piddling telephone system can do the same thing. It's no big deal for the people who run our telephone companies to go on television and say, We've been listening to what you're say-ing. Maybe the breakup of Ma Bell wasn't such a good idea after all. So now we're giving you the choice of the new phone system or the 'classic' one you were attached to in the past. Our only concern is satisfying our customers. Like Coca-Cola, we blew it, and we want to make it up

"Telephone executives hate to admit they make mistakes," I said. "I doubt if you'll get them to go on

Garfinkel said, "If the old Coke lovers can bring Atlanta to its knees, the 'Sons of Ma Bell' should be able to make the phone people cry 'uncle.' "

"There is one thing wrong with your crusade," I told him. "Coca-Cola was able to bring back the old Coke because it still exists as a company. The telephone system has been broken up by the government, and even if the phone execs wanted to replicate the old system the Justice Department wouldn't let them do it. Washington doesn't give a hoot about the consumers."

"The 'Sons of Ma Bell' intend to change all that. We're asking each member of our organization to send every congressman and senator 10 six-packs of empty Coca-Cola cans. Our message to Washington is that the telephone is almost as important as a soft drink. and if Coke drinkers now have a choice between the old and the new, the telephone consumer has a right to the same thing."

Disneyland Marks Its 30th Birthday

By Dennis Anderson

The Associated Press

NAHEIM, California — Disneyland, the granddaddy of theme parks, began celebrating its 30th birthday Wednesday with a 30-hour party, a free car for every 3,000th guest and a bouquet of 30,000 balloons.

The birthday party began one minute after midnight, when Tinkerbell. Peter Pan's spritely companion, glided down from a perch atop the Matterhorn. As about 7,000 people cheered, a brilliantly ighted rainbow shimmered behind the Sleeping Beauty Castle at Fantasyland.

Visitors were treated to brunch, and every 3,000th gnest throughout the first eight hours of the 30-hour party will get a Chevrolet Cavalier convertible.

"I think this is great," exulted II-year-old Greg Larson of Anabeim. "I was supposed to go to

sleep and take a nap before this, but I couldn't even get to sleep."

Greg's mother, Ann, said she had watched the park grow up during its 30 years in Anaheim.

27 miles (43 kilometers) southeast of donntone I are Anaheim. of downtown Los Angeles. "We watched the orange groves go down and everything build up around it," she said.

For 12-year-old Rhonda Kight of Camarillo, California, the event was the latest in a series of anniversaries she has attended at Disneyland.

"We've been here for all the birthdays, Mickey's and Don-ald's and now this," she said, star-ing at one of her favorite characters, Snow White. (Mickey Mouse nurned 50 in 1978, and Donald Duck hit 50 last year.)

The day was particularly memorable for Michael Schwartner, 37, of Searchlight, Nevada. He and his cousin Christine Vess Watkins, now 38, were the first two children through the gates of the park, and they were on hand again for the 30th birthday. "The place is better than ever,"

Schwartner said. "I was just old enough to remember what it was like. Walt Disney put me on his knee and asked me if I could wiggle my ears. When he talked to you, he was so warm. It was like no one else was around."

On July 17, 1955, the awardwinning animator and film producer opened the Magic King-dom, an amusement park based on the themes from his many cartoon and movie creations. Disnevland defined the theme park and changed forever the idea of family-oriented entertainment. "Lots of kids grew up thinking

Disneyland was a state, just like lowa and Rhode Island," the comedian Phyllis Diller wrote re-cently in the Los Angeles Times. The science fiction writer Ray Bradbury, who lives in Los Angeles, said: "Because of Disneyland, the look, color, texture and life in hundreds of and eventually thousands of our cities and towns will never be the same - which is to say, improved."

The visual treats planned for the birthday bash included a rain-bow light show in the sky and an extravaganza performance of the Main Street Electrical Parade, featuring such Disney characters as the Seven Dwarfs and Captain

Hook riding his pirate ship.

The festivities are part of a yearlong celebration during which \$12 million in prizes are to be given away.

Disneyland's 250 millionth guest will receive a bonanza: a Cadillac, 30,000 miles of free airline travel, 30 free trips to Dis-neyland or Florida's Walt Disney World, and free lodging in Dis-

ney hotels at either park.

The lucky person is expected to pass through the gates before the summer's end, said Erwin Okun, vice president of Walt Disney

Last year, Walt Disney Pro-ductions had nearly \$1.1 billion in revenue from Disneyland, Walt Disney World and Tokyo Disneyland, Okun said. The Tokyo park is owned and operated by Oriental Land Co., which pays Walt Disney Productions royalties and licensing fees. In 1956, the Anaheim park's

first full year of operation, Dis-neyland welcomed 3.8 million visitors. In 1980, the year of its highest attendance so far, the fig-ure was 11.5 million. Park officials hope the record will be bro-



Sleeping Beauty Castle, in Fantasyland.



Walt Disney with Disneyland's first two visitors, Michael Schwartner and his cousin Christine Watkins.

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Shostakovich Appointed

im Shostakovich, the Soviet conductor who defected to the West in 1981, as music director for three years beginning in the fall of 1986. Shostakovich, son of the composer after a European tour with the sic director of the New Orleans Symphony; Entremont is leaving to become principal conductor of the Denver Symphony.

Charlton Heston has decided to join "Dynasty II" instead of running for the U.S. Senate. The actor, 60, confirmed reports that he had been asked to make a 1986 run for the Senate seat in California now held by Alan Cranston. But Heston chose instead to play a ty-coon named Jason Colby on "Dy-nasty II: The Colbys of Califor-The program is scheduled to start this autumn as a spinol of "Dynasty," the ABC evening drama about the family of a Denver oil millionaire. . . The French soap opera "Châteauvallon" is being canceled: France's Antenne 2 network announced that filming of a second 26-episode series would be

scrapped because doctors said Chantal Nobel, who played a ruthless heiress, would need extensive therapy after being paralyzed in a car wreck and could not resume acting until next year. Nobel was in a coma for six weeks after the car in which she was riding, driven by the singer Sacha Distel, crashed in April.

Tuesday, saying he preferred toward in jail to being a prisoner to drugs. "There is no greater imprisonment than that of being dependent on that of being dependent on the cuberance for one's a coma for six weeks after the car in

million (58.3-million) pledge to the public comment on his cocaine Live Aid famine appeal may have problem since finishing a sixbeen phony, an accountant for the month British jail term. Keach, charity says. Philip Rusted, the who was arrested at Heathrow Air-Band Aid Trust's London accomtant, said a telex message promising the sum—the largest donation prided himself on not needing any during Saturday's rock marathon - would be "treated as a hoax" until proved otherwise, as trust of-ficials had been unable to contact life," he said. "But I still foolishly the donor. The estimate of the total and blindly refused to abandon the raised by the Live Aid rock con- notion that I could take it or leave certs in London and Philadelphia is it. I thought that I was in control of now estimated at £40 million the drug and not vice versa."

The New Orleans Symphony has approved the appointment of Max-closed amount given Tuesday by Prince Charles.

The state of the s

Geraldine Ferraro and her has band, John A. Zaccaro, downed Dmitri Shostakovich, defected with champagne with Sichnan food ge his son, Dmitri, to West Germany celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary in Beijing. The former Moscow Radio Symphony Orchestra. He was granted political asylum in the United States and lives tour of the Far East with their children in Richfield, Connecticut. He will dren. Donns. John Jr. and Luna. replace Philippe Entremont as mu-

Mayor Edward I. Koch of New York has blasted as inaccurate a forthcoming book that claims he feared President Jimmy Curter. wanted him assassinated and tage he called Representative Rouse Dellams a "Watusi" and a "Zola" The unflattering and unauthorized biography. "I. Koch" is scheduled to go on sale next month, just weeks before the city's Democratic primary. It was written by three journalists, Dan Collins, Arthur Browne and Michael Goodwin, and was conceived of as a rebuttal to Koch's best-selling autobiography, "Mayor." Koch defended his characterization of Dellums, a Democrat of California, by saying he had referred to Dellums as "Zulu warrior" and a "Watusi prince," He called Deliums about the book, he said, and Deliums "told me he understood it was not pejorative at

Stacy Keach told his tale of co-

caine to a congressional committee An unidentified American's £6- existence," the actor said in his first "crutch" before he tried cocsine "Within a few short months, co-

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